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## MOTORING PAGE

110,000 cars  
die yearly  
but 271,000 are born

WE know all about the astonishing birth rate of motor cars.

We know, for example, that since Christmas more than 100,000 new motor cars have been produced and that during the present summer most of the 1,500,000 private cars now in existence will be put upon the roads.

Now I am able to tell you about the death rate of motor cars.

Figures have just been completed by the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders for last year.

In 1935 no fewer than 110,000 motor cars died in Britain. Many died a natural death in the yards of the break-up men. The disintegration of old motor cars has become a big business. After years of usefulness on the road the worn-out car is still of some value.

Parts that are still working are sold as "spares." Metal and rubber are sold as scrap. Indeed the car may be worth a matter of £5. But the bits separated from the car may be worth three times that sum to the man who knows how to market them.

A few sentimental people who have had a lot of fun out of their motor cars refuse to sell them, and if they have sufficient room stow them away in some odd corner of their estate.

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## Old Cocks.

After many years a car becomes what is known as an "old cock," and it again becomes valuable.

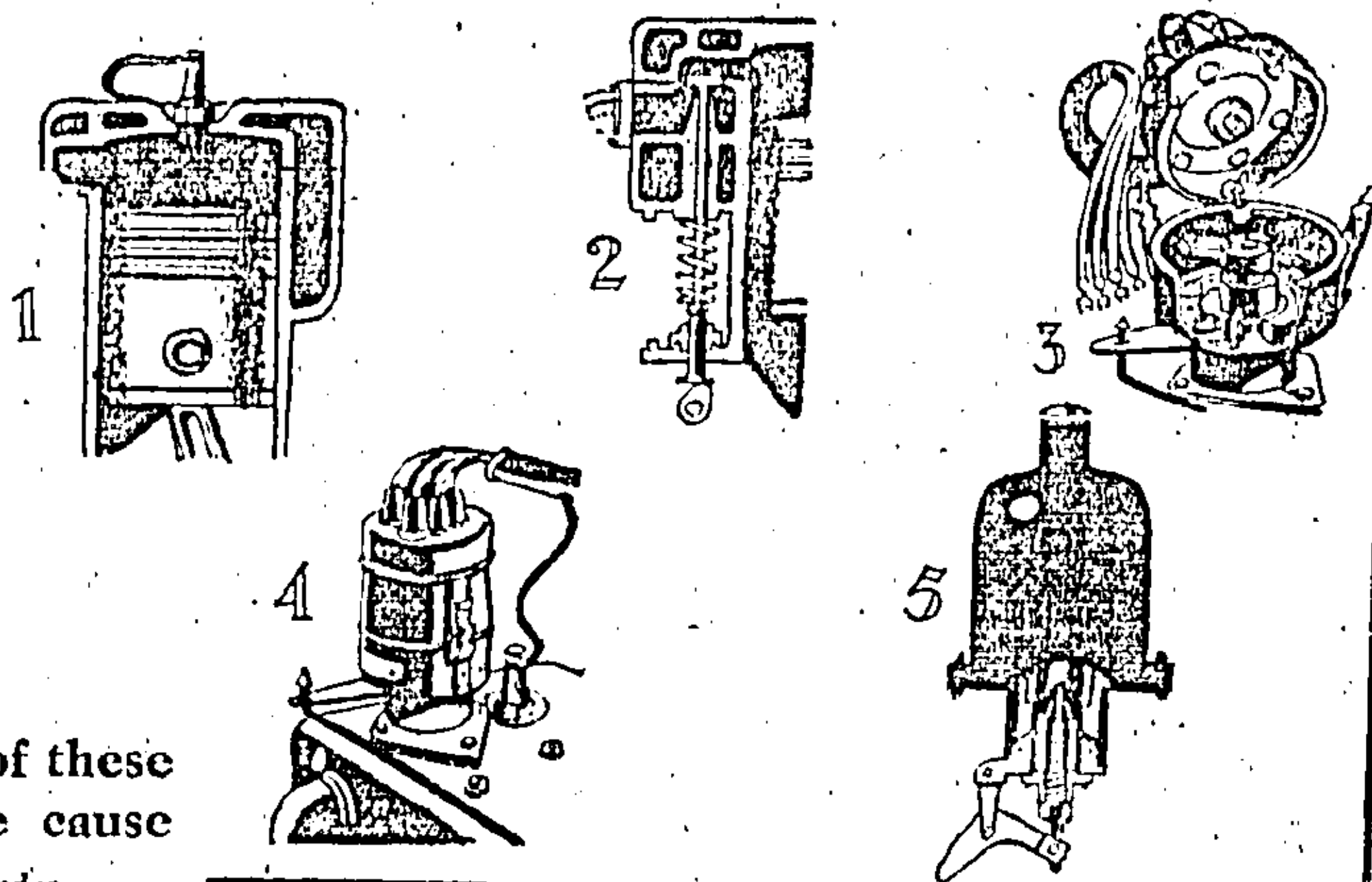
But it is not worth much to the car curio hunter until it is about thirty years of age. Cars dating back to 1900 have fetched as much as £150.

The death rate of cars in 1935 nearly equals the birth rate of cars in 1924. It exceeds the 1923 birth rate by 40,000.

This death rate gives a striking illustration of the growth of motoring in Britain. While 110,000 cars went out of existence last year 271,704 were born. The birth rate exceeded the death rate by 161,704.

Whenever there are stories of enormous car sales, people say that we must be near saturation point. But \$450 a month is a potential car statistician does not believe this.

## Does your car climb well?—



If not, one of these may be the cause

- (1) Carbon in cylinder
- (2) Incorrect valve clearance
- (3) contact breaker points badly adjusted
- (4) incorrect ignition setting
- (5) unsuitable carburettor jets

## Car Incomes

At present we still have only one car for every eight Europeans, or one for every 250 inhabitants of Hongkong. In America the figure is out of existence last year 271,704 were born. The birth rate exceeded the death rate by 161,704.

What sort of income do you require to run a motor-car? The statistician says that any one with an income of must be near saturation point. But \$450 a month is a potential car statistician does not believe this.

## POPULAR BAND RECORDINGS ON H.M.V. RECORDS.

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## Tell Tale Typing

NOTTINGHAM police are searching for a type-writer which has been used to type out address labels for the parcels of poisoned Easter eggs sent through the post to two families.

To a layman nearly all type-writing looks the same, but actually on two machines write exactly alike. After six weeks' use every machine develops all sorts of idiosyncrasies obvious to the expert.

When the police find the type-writer, a typewriting expert will use it to make a copy of the labels on the parcels. Then he will examine original and copy under a microscope.

## Peculiarities

If it is the right machine, the same peculiarities will appear in the copy as in the original. All sorts of letters will be slightly out of place, some will be thicker at the bottom than at the top.

When a machine is being assembled the keys are aligned by a mechanic. He does his best to make each letter print evenly and at the correct height. But it is impossible to get perfect alignment, and as every typist strikes some keys harder than others or does something else in a peculiar way, the machine soon develops individual characteristics.

It is no use for a typewriter thief to erase the number of a machine. Every machine has another secret number known only to the makers.

## Unknown SUFFOLK

SUFFOLK is one of those countries one hears little about, and it is not often visited.

Water is the key to this county. South and west and north it is defended by rivers.

The southern boundary is the Stour beside which both Constable and Gainsborough were born, and whose vale they both painted.

Westward the Lark, a lovely little trout stream, guards the county, while on the north you have first the Little Ouse, or Brandon, and then—loveliest and most leisurely of all river names—the Waveney.

## Good Sailing

The Waveney at Beccles is twelve feet deep and very clear. If you let the boat drift and watch quietly you will see, every now and then, a fish moving in this transparency as smoothly as a drop of rain on a window.

There are others like the Orwell (or Gipping) and the Deben and the Stour, that have big estuaries, where you get good, though tricky, sailing, and brown-sailed barges for a picture to frame your holiday in.

Ipwich is the county town for all this—Ipwich, with Mr. Pickwick's White Horse Inn, and hence run many roads to the county's delights.

Beccles and Bungay, in the Waveney Valley, and Eye, on one of its tributaries, mustn't be missed. Cyclists, note that Suffolk gradients are easy ones.

## High-speed Escapes

There are approximately 1,000,000 earning this amount. But this does not mean that people do not run cars on less than this income.

People with incomes of \$1,000 a month are regarded as potential two-car-owners. There are a considerable number of these.

Experts believe that there is no reason why ultimately there should not be 20,000 car owners in Hongkong—or roughly one car for every two Europeans. Our standard of living is comparatively higher than that in America, where every 4.6 persons owns a car. This figure is still very far behind America.

Why has America the wonderful figure of 4.6 persons to every car?

It is not entirely due to better wages and cheaper vehicles. It is due mainly to the fact that car-owners in America, owing to cheap taxation and insurance, can motor out of income.

Here many people with small incomes have to save money to pay the tax and insurance before they can start motoring.

If we could pay our taxes and our insurance on the easy payment system there would be many more cars on the roads. We are not only over-taxed, but we have to pay our taxation in a lump sum.

But do not try to emulate racing drivers on the roads this summer. Safety first!

## Skids On Bends

This, however, does not necessarily mean that the faster you go the safer you are.

On the motor racetrack there are few accidents involving collisions. They occur mostly through skids on bends. The driver is usually catapulted clear of the car. There is no "bliss" in racing car—even of the "disintegrating" type—and the driver is not enclosed.

But do not try to emulate racing drivers on the roads this summer. Safety first!

## Good Cooking

## By Home Page Cook

## Cold Sweet Sauces

WE do not go in for cold sweet sauces much in Hongkong, and so a few recipes garnered from abroad may be useful.

## Apricot Sauce

Take equal quantities of cream and the pulp of tinned apricots rubbed through a sieve. Beat the cream stiffly, add it to the pulp and sweeten as you like.

## Coffee Cream Sauce

Ingredients: 1 cup strong coffee; 3 egg yolks; 4 3/4 egg whites. Beat the whites stiffly and add by degrees a quarter of a pound of sugar, beating all the time. Finally add the coffee very gradually. Let the mixture cook in a double saucepan until it is thick; then when it is cold fold in the stiffly-whipped cream.

## Honey Cream Sauce

Ingredients: A gill cream; a trifle more honey; lemon. Beat the cream stiffly, then whip in the honey and a teaspoonful of lemon juice.

## Melba Sauce

Squash some fresh or tinned raspberries and rub them through a sieve, then add a quarter of their weight in sugar and cook until it is a heavy syrup. Let them grow cold. (The famous Pêche Melba consists of a peach on a vanilla ice with this sauce poured over it.)

## Orange Sauce

Ingredients: 2 oranges; 1 lemon; powdered sugar; 4 3/4 egg whites. Beat the whites stiffly and add by degrees a quarter of a pound of sugar, beating all the time. Finally add the juice of the lemon and the juice and grated rind of the oranges.

## Yellow Sauce

Ingredients: 2 eggs; 4 oz. powdered sugar; vanilla or brandy. Beat the eggs until light and frothy, then gradually add the sugar, beating all the while. Flavour with a teaspoonful of vanilla essence or of brandy, if you prefer it.

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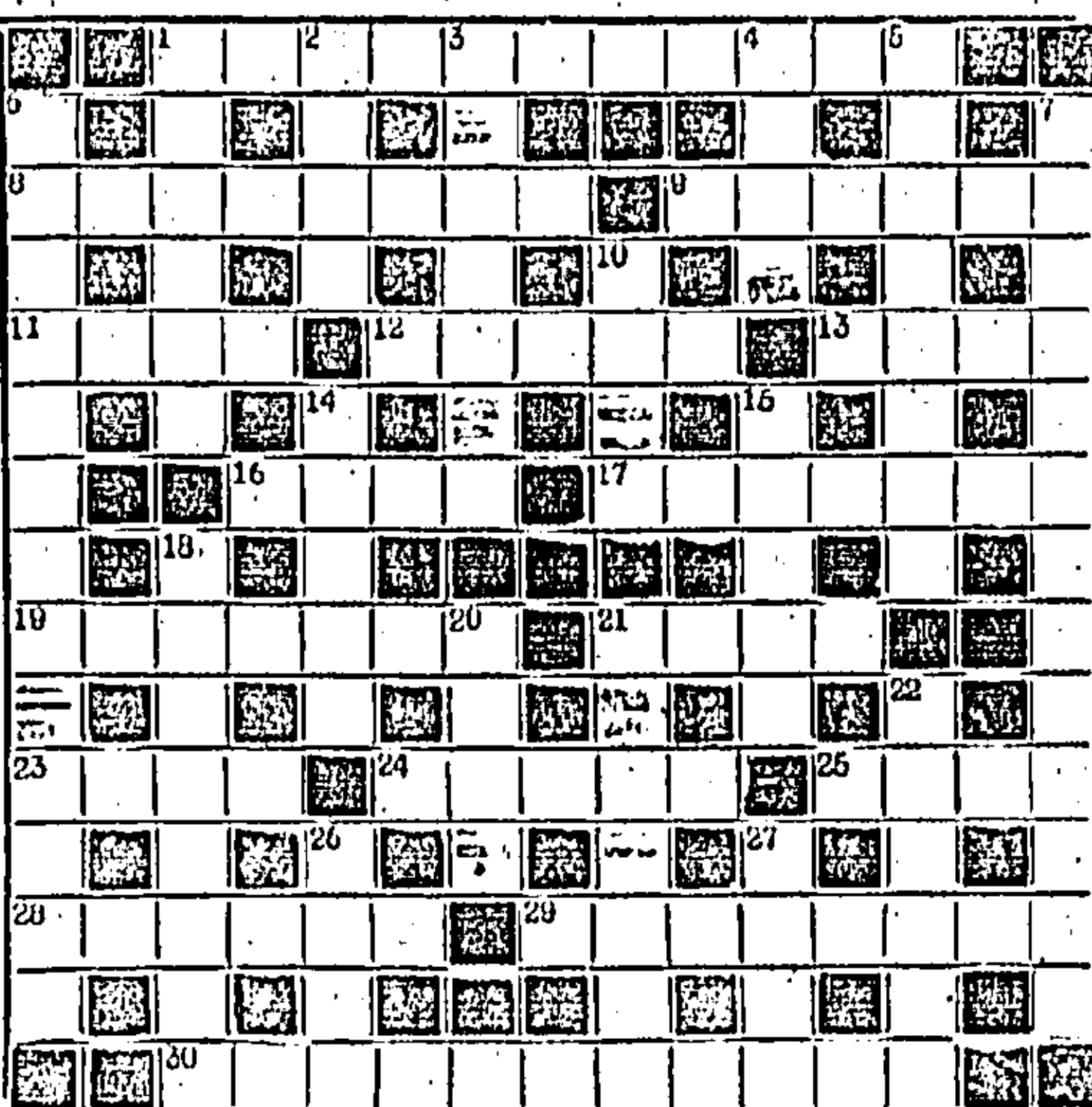
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## ACROSS

- 1 Sh! Woman. Pish! (anag.).
- 8 Lowering.
- 9 A doctor gives the cane in disapproval.
- 11 Why scowl? Stay till I arrive: I wear who has the proper iron (hidden).
- 12 Sever, but only in your turns.
- 13 This and that together.
- 16 Hidden in Clue 11.
- 17 If you regard them as borders, they are not herbaceous, and not tiring.
- 19 No, it isn't Edward who is infected, said he, speaking vulgarly.
- 21 You will have to run when the beast turns.
- 22 Hidden in Clue 11.
- 24 A custom that makes a hit with a sailor.
- 25 Animal of the cat tribe.
- 26 By irony father is put out at heart.
- 27 I reside here mostly during the winter.
- 30 Thus, in digs I arranged to indicate difference.

## DOWN

- 1 Sh! Ears are keen.
- 2 Spanish team at one time in this country.
- 3 Rubber neither Indian nor synthetic.
- 4 Listen.
- 6 Makes a good shop crib, though appreciated more in Scotland than in England.

- 6 Here both new and old testaments may be consulted (two words, 8, 6).
- 7 I toasted chips in a worldly-wise way.
- 10 Hum this and it's nothing out of the ordinary.
- 14 It seems a pity to make it dry, for it really isn't clean.
- 15 This plant has a cleansing effect.
- 18 Kind of phorce that does not live in aquariums.
- 20 Kent timber.
- 21 Suffering in not making a success.
- 22 Chastise.
- 23 These come out of the earth.
- 27 Hidden in Clue 11.

## Yesterday's Solution

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## HONG KONG SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN.

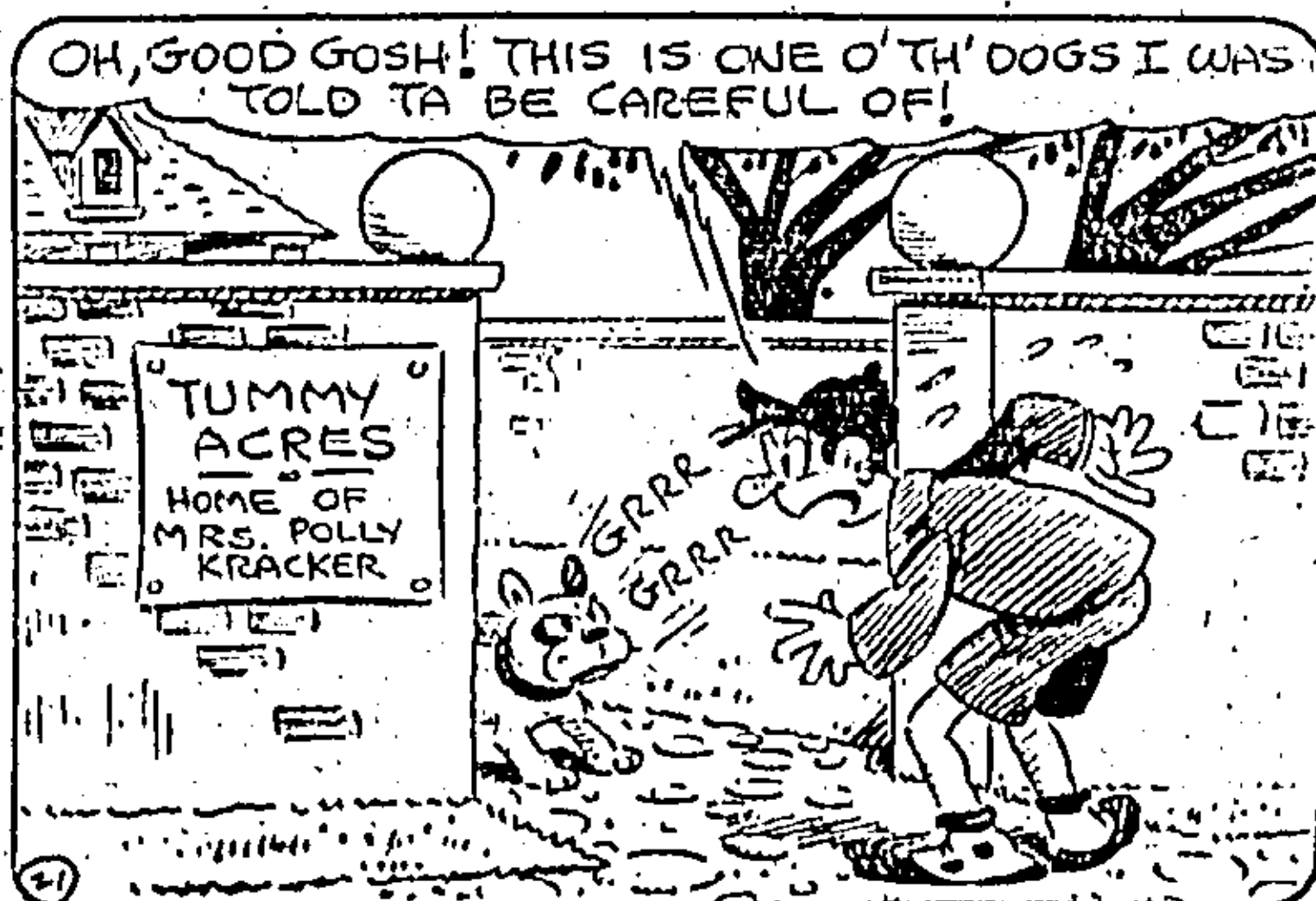
The total expenditure in 1936 on behalf of sick and destitute children is estimated at \$25,000, against which the income to date is \$18,000 only.

In order to continue its work, the Society asks for the balance of \$7,000 before the close of the financial year on 31st October.

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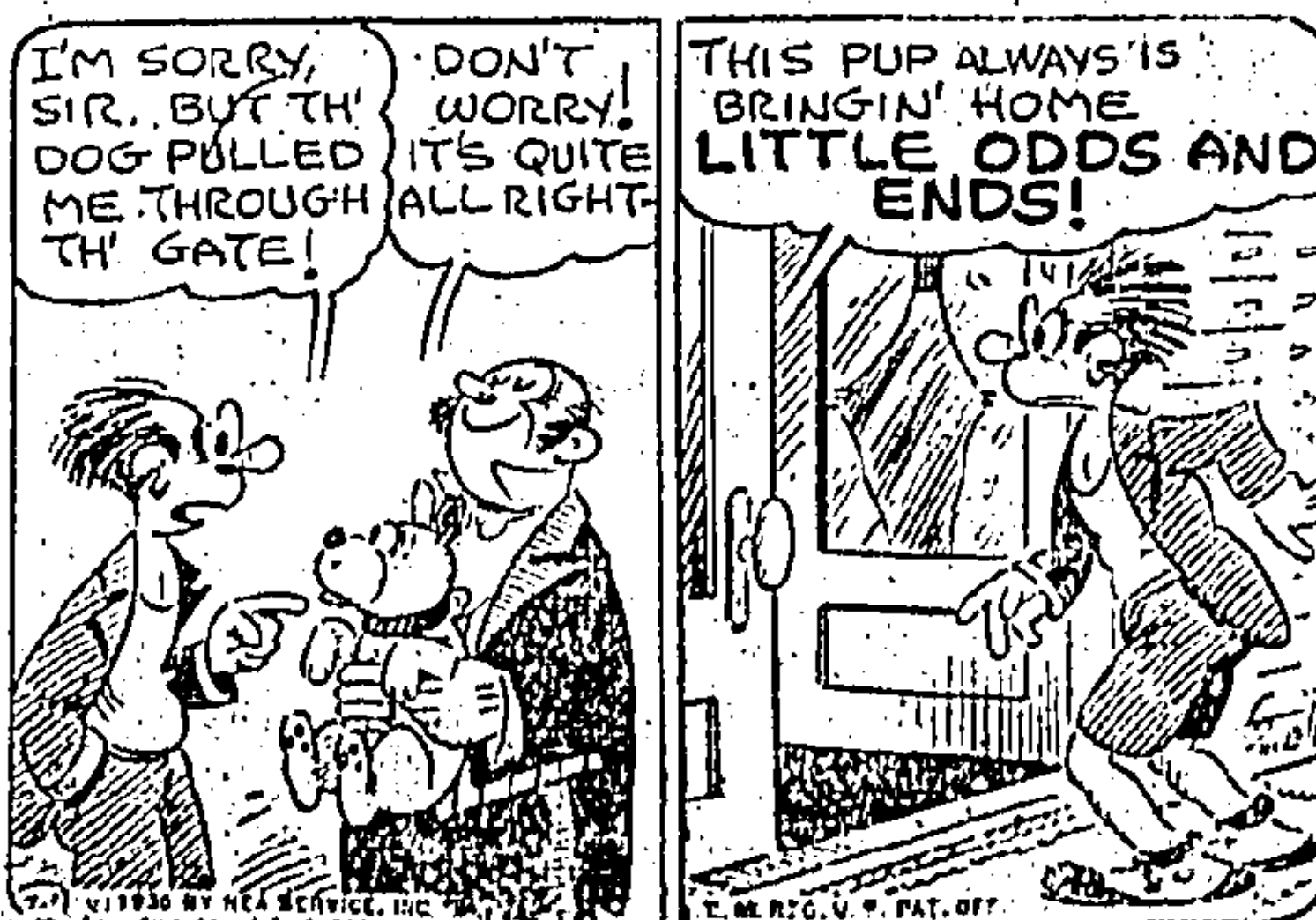
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# SCIENTISTS DESTROY INSECTS TO SAVE MILLIONS

Astonishing Discoveries  
In Pests War

BUTTERFLIES WHICH  
CROSS OCEANS

Worms Like English Bees  
Onions Are Mongrels

London, July 4.

BUTTERFLIES migrate in much the same way as birds.

The idea that a butterfly lives only for a day is a myth.

Moths don't like moonlight.

Worms do like onions.

To-day's English bees are mongrels. There is no proof that the real British brown bee exists.

A LUNCHEON and tea party for distinguished men in science, agriculture, and industry was given at the Rothamsted Experimental Station to demonstrate these and other scientific discoveries.

They were shown beer and molasses trickling steadily in a spiral down a glass tube in a field.

This experiment may lead to the prevention of insect pests that cost Britain millions of pounds a year.

The bitter-sweet fluid is part of an elaborate trap that the scientists have invented.

Moths and many insects are attracted to the smell. As they land on the liquor to sip it they are electrocuted. Then they are carried down to a container underneath.

Their bodies are collected, put under a microscope, sorted and counted.

Midge Pest

Already scientists have found they catch many more insects on a dark,

Made Botanical  
Museum  
Of America

Honolulu, Hawaii, July 10.

Joseph F. Rock, who explored all parts of the world and led scientific expeditions into west China and Tibet despite frail health, is returning to the university campus; he made the botanical museum of America.

The University of Hawaii grounds boast trees and plants from almost every part of the world—thanks to the tireless efforts of Rock. These include the African sausage tree, the Indian peepul, rubber and many specimens of rare plants.

A collection as unusual as the trees he gathered will be given to the university by Rock, the announce- ment of his return said. He is giving to the school's Oriental Institute his rare collection of books on west China and Tibet. It includes several thousand volumes, some of them of great value because they are rare.

Since 1919 when he resigned as botany professor at the University of Hawaii because of delicate health, Rock has been leading expeditions into Tibet and China for universities, geographic societies and museums.—United Press.

Picture Insured  
For £27,000;  
Sold For £3,990.

London, June 26.  
A picture entitled "The Woman in Brown," said to have been painted by Titian, hung in the gallery at Petworth, the home of the Earls of Agmont, and was then, nine years ago, insured for £27,000. On Friday it was sold for £3,990 at Knight Frank and Rutleys, London. No reason has apparently been given for this decline.

Hired Guards  
To Protect  
Film Stars

LONDON PLAN TO STOP  
HOOLIGANISM

By A Film Correspondent

British film companies are considering the employment of hired bodyguards to protect visiting film-stars from physical injury, following the alarming lack of control shown by crowds on the occasion of recent arrivals.

Legitimate enthusiasm in welcoming visiting celebrities, which has always existed, has changed during recent months to virtually uncontrolled hooliganism, and evidence which has been collected confirms the existence of one or more organized gangs.

Nor does the "welcome" stop short after the day of arrival. Cyclists, sometimes 50 or more, follow "stars" whenever they leave their hotel, and pursue them about London and even into the country.

These people are not content with a single autograph, for a system of exchange has been set up for selling the signatures obtained. Signatures have both an exchange and a cash value, one "Miriam Hopkins" for example, being equivalent to four or five of a less popular "star". Prices for cash range from about 1s. to 2s. 6d. at current rates, though an extremely rare specimen may fetch 5s.

MISS SIDNEY'S "RECEPTION"

When Sylvia Sydney arrived, a month ago, a shouting crowd bore down on her, pinned her to the side of the train. She was with difficulty prevented from falling between the train and the platform. Her hatbag was crushed flat in the melee, and her clothes torn. Buttons and other fragments are apparently treasured as souvenirs.

Grace Moore, who was unable to leave her carriage for a quarter of an hour when she arrived, was compelled to make an appeal to the crowd before she could pass.

Miriam Hopkins, who arrived a few weeks back, was twice driven to changing her hotel, and has finally retired to a private address.

"Two hours before Miss Moore left the boat at Harwich the crowd began to assemble in front of Claridge's, although the hotel at which she was to stay had not been announced," a hotel official said.

"We have great difficulty in keeping people away from the doors, and frequently have to snaffle 'stars' out by back exits, particularly on Sundays, when crowds assemble to see whoever there may be to see."

The Whole World  
Invests in the  
United States

British Money Pours  
Across Atlantic

Washington, July 1.

United States Department of Commerce compilation of investments in the United States by residents of foreign countries showed total long-term holdings of \$5,035,000,000, of which residents in Latin American countries held only \$43,000,000.

The fact that residents of the southern republics hold only nine-tenths of 1 per cent. of the total was authoritatively but unofficially commented as indicating that the southern continent is still predominantly a borrowing region, which has little capital for export, and is likely for some time to remain in that category.

The official summary of the foreign investment situation at the end of 1935 showed that the \$43,000,000 of Latin American investments in this country comprised about \$8,000,000 in direct investments, \$19,000,000 in common stocks (market value) \$3,000,000 in preferred stocks, \$8,000,000 in bonds, and \$8,000,000 in other investments.

UP AND UP  
AND UP

MISS NELLIE SHERIDAN, formerly a Sydney shopgirl, has just been discovered as the possessor of a phenomenal vocal range, higher than any soprano of musical history.

She is only 19, and she has been quietly training her voice for five years. She can now sing a range of three octaves and a half, her top note being D, an octave and one note above the C in all. She can descend to the B below the middle C.

Her top register is one tone above that of the Italian soprano, Luceria Agujara, who, in Mozart's time sang brilliantly up to the C, and was the rage of stage and platform. Musical historians have always accounted her as possessing the highest voice ever known.

Miss Sheridan, according to *Austral News*, can sing four notes higher than Miss Lily Pons and five notes higher than Melba could. In the presence of a Sydney throat specialist and vocal experts, she sang two songs, the highest notes of which were F and A flat above the C in all.

The specialist reported that her resonating chambers were particularly well formed and her vocal cords very strong. Her breath control was extraordinarily good.

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PLANES  
FOR U. S.

AIR RIVALRY

Los Angeles, California,

July 1.

Work has begun at the Douglas plant upon a revolutionary 40-passenger sky giant, twice as big as the China Clipper, upon which five airlines are gambling \$480,000.

The huge plane is scheduled to be ready to take the air by Jan. 1, 1938. It will weigh 50 tons compared to the ocean-going Clipper's 26. Staterooms will be larger than those of Pullman cars.

The ship will be able to cruise 225 miles an hour with only 60 per cent of its power. Engineers count upon this surplus to enable the giant to maintain high speed against storms and headwinds and keep rigid railroad time schedules.

Five air-lines joined in a contract covering the cost of the first experimental plane. Aviation experts believe if the airliner is a success, orders will come in for at least 50 more, costing some \$12,000,000.

Twenty-five more of the huge ships will be built immediately if the experimental plane is a success. Five planes each, in the order named, will be delivered to United Air Lines, TWA, American Air Lines, Eastern Air Lines, and Pan-American Airways. By agreement, none will be put into service until all have been delivered.

A survey of present routes indicates it was said that United Air Lines and TWA will require five additional planes each after delivery of the first 25.

European air lines are counted on tentatively for orders for twenty five more.—United Press.

The geographical distribution of other foreign holdings here revealed total British investments in the United States of \$1,374,000,000 or about 27 per cent. of all foreign investments in this country. Canada was second as a long-term creditor of the United States with investment interest here of about \$1,000,000,000; Netherlands ranked next with total holdings of nearly \$800,000,000. Switzerland and France followed with long-term investments here of \$399,000,000 and \$232,000,000.

These five countries hold slightly more than 75 per cent. of all foreign-owned investments in the United States.

The Department of Commerce did not officially analyze by countries or comment on the Latin American investments here, but United Press made independent inquiries which indicated that Mexico, Cuba, and Argentina are the most important countries in that field.

S. AMERICA INVESTS

A considerable part of the \$19,000,000 in American common stocks and \$8,000,000 in bonds owned in Latin America probably represents the investment of United States citizens or companies resident in the southern republics. Banking companies in the La Plata and Mining companies in Peru and Chile probably have such investments here.

Latin American direct investments of about \$5,000,000 in the United States are believed to be comprised largely of investments by Mexicans or Cubans. Some of the Mexican investment probably would be in mining or other enterprises along the frontier, while Cubans are believed to have investments in American tobacco manufacturing enterprise.

Information is unavailable here as to relative volume of Latin American investments in Europe and the United States. There is believed to be considerable Argentine and Brazilian investment in European bonds and stocks. Mexico and Brazil are thought to have considerable investments in Canada.

ENORMOUS TOTAL

The commercial and industrial distribution of foreign investments by residents of all foreign countries in the United States, as of December 31, 1935, was reported by Department of Commerce as follows:

Total, \$5,035,000,000.  
Manufacturing \$1,690,000,000 or 33.7 per cent. of total; retail and wholesale distribution \$142,000,000 or 2.8 per cent. of total; railroads and other transportation, \$777,000,000 or 15.4 per cent. of total; utilities \$601,000,000 or 11.9 per cent. of total; mining, including petroleum, \$567,000,000 or 11.3 per cent. of total; \$442,000,000 or 8.8 per cent. of total; miscellaneous, \$810,000,000 or 16.1 per cent. of total.—United Press.

AMERICA FINDS  
SEA SERPENT

Aberdeen, Wash., July 7.

A 12-foot, 1,300-pound "sea serpent," resembling in appearance the reconstruction skeletons of prehistoric monsters, is being examined by D. W. Black, Baltimore zoologist, and two assistants, in an effort to determine its species.

The monster was cast upon the beach near here and was said by many to resemble the creature found at Prince Rupert, B.C., a year and a half ago, and finally identified as a Basker shark.

The serpent has a head which resembles that of a goat, teeth like those of a dog and eyes eight inches apart. The body tapers, ending in a muscular, like tail, four feet long.—United Press.



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THE DIVIDEND will be payable on and after 10th August, 1936, at the offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

THE REGISTER OF SHARES of the Corporation will be closed from 27th JULY, to 8th AUGUST (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

V. M. GRAYBURN,  
CHIEF MANAGER.  
Hongkong, 7th July, 1936.

U.S. COMMODITY  
PRICES  
LATEST CABLED  
QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuters.

New York Cotton			
July	13.49/50	13.42/43	
October	12.67/68	12.57/58	
December	12.67/68	12.57/58	
January	12.67/68	12.57/58	
March	12.65/67	12.55/56	
May	12.65/67	12.55/56	
Spot	13.59	13.52	
New York Rubber			
July	16.60	16.62/63	
September	16.71b/72a	16.65b/67a	
October	16.74a	16.69a	
December	16.81/81	16.77/77	
January	16.84a	16.79a	
March	16.90/90	16.85b/88a	
May	17.00/00	16.95/95	
Total sales	470 tons.		
Chicago Wheat			
July	104 1/2a	103 1/2/103 1/2	
September	104 1/2a	103 1/2/103 1/2	
December	105 1/2a	104 1/2/104 1/2	
Saturday's sales	44,340,000 bushels.		
Chicago Corn			
September	81 1/2/82 1/2	81 1/2/82 1/2	
December	75 1/2/76	75 1/2/76 1/2	
Winnipeg Wheat			
July	91 1/2	91 1/2/91 1/2	
October	90 1/2/90 1/2	91 1/2/91 1/2	
December	90 1/2/90 1/2	91 1/2/91 1/2	

A dinner dance will be held on the Open Roof of Republic Bay Hotel, weather permitting, and at Republic Bay Hotel in event of bad weather, on Wednesday at 9 p.m.

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CINEMA  
NOTES

Marvels are common in the history of film making, but it is doubtful whether any film has been so much the result of "astonishing" facts as "Sanders of the River", the new London Film production. All who have the good fortune to see it during its presentation at the King's Theatre will see something to wonder at in every part of the picture. Few stories more difficult to film could have been chosen than Edgar Wallace's story of the British district commissioner who, mainly by force of personality, controlled some of the most savage tribes of West Africa. London Film Productions sent much of the necessary equipment and some members of the personnel by air to the base of operations and great areas of marsh and bush were covered on foot. Many of the most remarkable scenes were "shot" at Gulu, in Uganda, among the Acholi—a people whose way of living is still as primitive as it has ever been. Luckily, the natives possessed a natural histrionic quality and the help of thousands of them was secured in realistic scenes depicting the burning and sacking of villages. One man, Ahoya, was entrusted with an important part. He has a fine voice, and he is 6 ft. 8 in. in height. The part of District Commissioner Sanders is played by Leslie Banks, a close personal friend of the late Edgar Wallace, while Paul Robeson is the native Bosambo and Nina Mae McKinney, the delightful coloured variety artist, is his wife Lilongo. Others prominent in the cast are Eric Maturin, the Marquis of Farnham, Robert Cochrane, Martin Walker and Alan Jaynes.

"Frisco Kid" Ricardo Cortez, who has the heavy role in the Warner Bros. production, "Frisco Kid", now showing at the Star Theatre, only smiles when he sees a coin-flipping gangster stroll across the screen. He feels he has been paid a sincere compliment. Cortez invented the coin-tossing business years before it was employed in "surface". When Cortez observes a "thoughtful" type of screen villain, he gains no little satisfaction from the thought that he was the first to play that sort of film character. He introduced such a villain in "The Maltese Falcon." When a gangster "burps" on the screen, Cortez smiles, knowing that he "burped" long before a burp was called a "burp." In "Special Agent" he made his character role distinctive by constantly wearing a pair of gray suede gloves. His latest idiosyncrasy is in his current picture, "Frisco Kid," a tale of San Francisco's Barbary Coast in the 1850's. Cortez, in the role of a polished gambler, added a touch of dandyism to his "scillet" costume, by wearing filled shirt cuffs, starched to turn back over his coat. It lends a quaint air to the rough gambling hall, patronised by miners, sailors, crooks and women of the demimonde, particularly as his adorned hand always rests close to a loaded derringer. James Cagney heads the cast of "Frisco Kid," while others include Margaret Lindsay, Lili Damita, Donald Woods, Barton MacLane and George E. Stone. Lloyd Bacon directed the picture from the screen play by Warren Duff and Seton I. Miller.

One case of Diphtheria was reported to the local Health authorities during the week-end.



Miriam Hopkins appears in "Splendor," which opens at the King's Theatre to-morrow.

## NOTES OF THE DAY

(Continued from Page 6.)

Statute Book locally but which are never enforced. As we have before had occasion to point out, the existence of such "dead" enactments only tends to bring the law generally into disrepute. What is obviously needed is that the whole field of non-enforced provisions should be surveyed, with a view to repealing those which, whatever the reason may be, have fallen into disuse. First amongst these we would place this chit-signing embargo. This was a war-time measure, which, almost from the start, was easy of evasion. Its necessity at any time is even to be called into question. Whatever its faults may be, the chit system will persist in the Far East—and it is high time that fact was recognised. It is fair neither to hotel managements nor to the public generally to preserve this law which is more honoured in the breach than in the observance. For this reason, either with or without any request from hotel-keepers, we trust that an opportunity will soon be taken to put an end to what is a most anomalous and unsatisfactory state of affairs.

NEW YORK STOCK  
EXCHANGEMARKET UPWARD  
YESTERDAY

New York, July 13. Swam; Culbertson & Fritz Dow Jones summary of yesterday's market:—The market to-day was irregularly higher and the turnover was moderate. Prices advanced early in the session, but met with some resistance when the industrial and railroad averages came within small fractions of the year's high levels. Trading then became lighter, but there was no particular pressure in any section of the market. Railroad stocks, early in the day, were favourites. Mercantile, silver, tobacco, amusement and railroad securities advanced. The market for bonds was higher, led by railroad issues. Stocks on the Curb Exchange were irregularly higher.

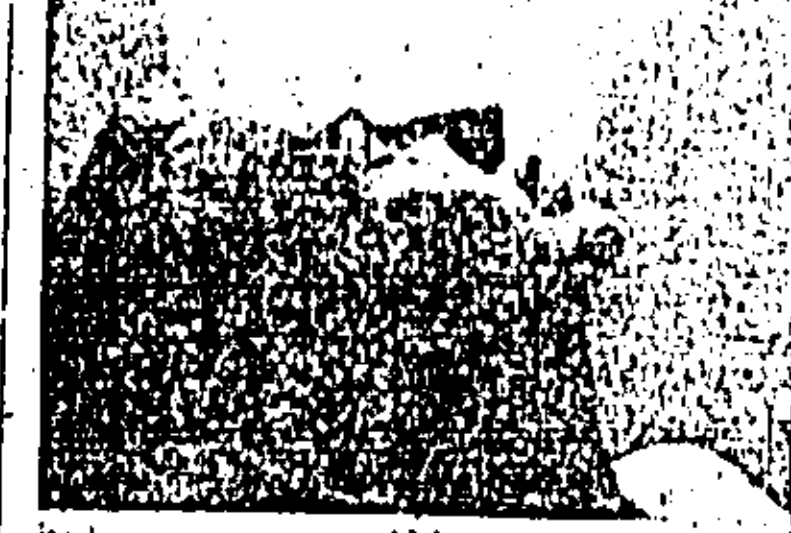
S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks: The market, especially railroad issues, acted well and prices look likely to move higher. Traders were cheered by the seasonally favourable business news and a definite improvement in the drought situation. The Dow Jones Industrial Average for the past week is 102.1 as against the revised figure of 99.8 the previous week and 91.8 during the corresponding week of last year. This week's figure is the highest since April, 1930. The labour disturbance at the Camden plant of the Radio Corporation has been tentatively settled.

Cotton: There was some profit-taking on reactions, but contracts were not plentiful. "Spots" are firm. A larger June consumption is expected. There have been some beneficial rains in the drought sections. The market looks irregularly higher.

Wheat: Apparently the situation in the North-West has but little changed. The showers have been insufficient and temperatures are again high. The visible supply of wheat here shows an increase of 6,577,000 bushels. Reports from Canada are contradictory, both with regard to weather conditions and the crop. Some authorities estimate the crop at 275,000,000 bushels, whilst Snow & Company expect a Canadian yield of 225,000,000 bushels. We expect irregularity pending clarification with regard to the crop. Relief has failed to materialise and temperatures are again high.

Rubber: The anticipated high consumption figures are now apparently discounted and a new incentive is needed. The English stocks of rubber have decreased by 1,702 tons.

Hides: The market is steadier on expected drought relief, which, however, is not yet in evidence.

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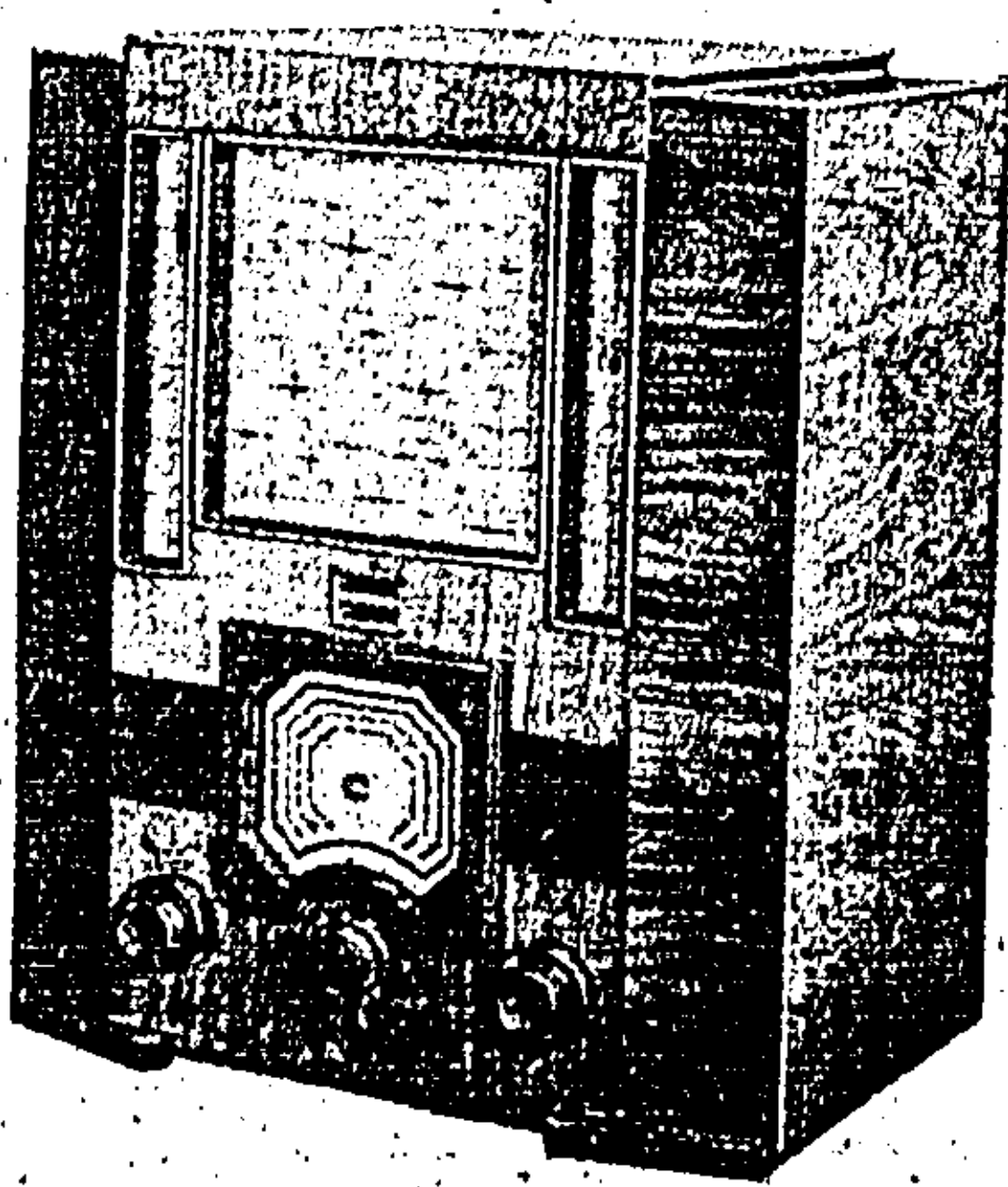
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July 11, 1935	161.35
July 12, 1935	161.35
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## INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Date and Time
Shanghai	Memnon	July 14.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways"		
Direct Service—London date 4th July	R.M.A. Delphinus	July 14.
Straits and London Parcels—London date 20th May	Sonali	July 14.
Straits	Van Heutz	July 14.
Japan	Tokio Maru	July 15.
Hainan	Canton	July 16.
Calcutta and Straits	Chakrang	July 16.
Australia and Manila	Kitano Maru	July 16.
Manila	Pros. Jackson	July 16.
Japan and Shanghai	Taiyo Maru	July 16.
Amoy	Tihana	July 16.
Shanghai	Burdwan	July 17.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 27th June)	Empress of Canada	July 17.
Manila	General Pershing	July 17.
Japan and Shanghai	Hakone Maru	July 17.
Straits and Europe via Negapatam (Letters and Papers) London, 18th June	Hakozaki Maru	July 17.
Straits and London Parcels—London date, 11th June	Hector	July 17.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan & Shanghai (San Francisco, 10th June)	Pres. Harrison	July 17.
Japan and Manila	Taiaroa	July 18.
Straits	Hakodate Maru	July 20.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 26th June)	Pres. Lincoln	July 20.
Japan	Rio de Janeiro Maru	July 20.
Calcutta and Straits	Tahna	July 21.
Manila	Tibadak	July 21.
Straits	Victoria	July 21.
Europe via Suez (Letters & Papers) London, 25th June and London Parcels—London date, 18th June	Kaisar-I-Hind	July 22.

## OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang, Tues.	July 14, 2 p.m.
Wednesday.		
Letters for "K.L.M. Service"—due Memnon		Wed., July 15; Amsterdam, 27th July.
Reg.	K.P.O.	G.P.O.
Reg., July 15, 8.30 a.m.	Reg., July 15, 8.30 a.m.	Reg., July 15, 9 a.m.
Letters, July 15, 9 a.m.	Letters, July 15, 9 a.m.	Letters, July 15, 9.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and Memnon		Wed., July 15.
South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marselles.		
(Due Marselles, 12th August).		
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg., July 15, 9 a.m.	Reg., July 15, 9.45 a.m.	
Letters, July 15, 10 a.m.	Letters, July 15, 10.30 a.m.	
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hozan Maru Wed., July 15, 1.30 p.m.	
Straits and Calcutta	Sinsang	Wed., July 15.
Parcels, July 15, 1 p.m.	Letters, July 15, 2 p.m.	
Swatow	Seisan	Wed., July 15, 3 p.m.
Thursday.		
*Japan and *Canada	Talhybius Thurs., July 16, 10.30 a.m.	
(Due Victoria B.C., 10th August).		
Amoy	Tsian	Thurs., July 16, 10.30 a.m.
Japan	Kitano Maru Thurs., July 16, 5 p.m.	
Friday.		
Letters for "Imperial Airways R.M.A. Delphinus"		Fri., July 17.
Direct Service—due London, 27th July.		
Reg.	K.P.O.	G.P.O.
Reg., July 16, 5 p.m.	Reg., July 16, 5 p.m.	Reg., July 16, 5 p.m.
Letters, July 16, 5 p.m.	Letters, July 16, 5 p.m.	Letters, July 16, 5 p.m.
Letters for "Australia by Imperial R.M.A. Delphinus"		Fri., July 17.
Airways Service—due Darwin, 21st July.		
Reg.	K.P.O.	G.P.O.
Reg., July 16, 5 p.m.	Reg., July 16, 5 p.m.	Reg., July 16, 5 p.m.
Letters, July 16, 5 p.m.	Letters, July 16, 5 p.m.	Letters, July 16, 5 p.m.
Sandakan	Mausang	Fri., July 17, 2 p.m.
Hohow, Pakhoi and *Hainan	Kaying	Fri., July 17, 2 p.m.
Hainan	Canton	Fri., July 17, 2 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Hakozaki Maru Fri., July 17, 3.30 p.m.	
Manila	Pros. Jackson	Fri., July 17, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., C and S. General Pershing		Fri., July 17.
America, *Canada and *Europe via San Francisco, 9th August).		
(Due San Francisco, 9th August).		
Letters for "K.L.M. Service"—due Hakone Maru		Fri., July 17.
Amsterdam, 30th July.		
Reg.	K.P.O.	G.P.O.
Reg., July 17, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., July 17, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., July 17, 4.30 p.m.
Letters, July 17, 4.30 p.m.	Letters, July 17, 4.30 p.m.	Letters, July 17, 4.30 p.m.
Manila	Emp. of Canada Fri., July 17, 5 p.m.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and *S. Hakone Maru		Fri., July 17.
Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marselles.		
(Due Marselles, 16th August).		
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg., July 17, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., July 17, 5 p.m.	
Letters, July 17, 4.30 p.m.	Letters, July 17, 5 p.m.	
Saturday.		
Straits and Calcutta	Tilawa	Sat., July 18.
Parcels	Letters	July 18, 9 a.m.
Sunday.		
Hohow	Anhui	Sun., July 19, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kiangang	Sun., July 19, 9 a.m.
Foochow via Swatow	Hangsang	Sun., July 19, 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hongkong Maru Sun., July 19, 9 a.m.	
Monday.		
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Tokyo Maru		Mon., July 20.
Central and South America	Reg., July 20, 6 p.m.	
*Canada and *Europe via San Francisco	Letters, July 20, 6.30 p.m.	
(Due San Francisco, 13th August)		
Amoy	Shantung	Mon., July 20, 3.30 p.m.
Tuesday.		
Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tinegara	Tues., July 21, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai	Victoria	Tues., July 21, 9.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa	Rio de Janeiro Tues., July 21, 2.30 p.m.	
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## CHAN CHAI-TONG DISMISSED

### NATIONAL UNITY PLANS

Nanking, July 13. The plenary-conference passed a resolution abolishing the South-West Political Council and the South-West Executive Committee. They have appointed General Yu Han-mow as Commander-in-Chief of the First Army Corps and Director of Peace Preservation for Kwangtung. They have appointed General Li Chung-jen and General Pui Chung-hsi as Director and Deputy Director of Peace Preservation for Kwangsi.

They have re-appointed Mr. Lin Yun-kai and General Huang Chu-hau as Governors of Kwangtung and Kwangsi respectively.

They have also authorised organisation of a National Defence Conference, consisting of 18 members, including Generals Chan Chai-tong, Li Chung-jen, Pui Chung-hsi, Sung Chieh-yuan, Han Fu-chu, and Yu Han-mow.—*Reuter*.

South-West Council Condemned  
Nanking, July 13. The proposal for the abolition of the South-west Executive Committee and the South-west Political Council, which was submitted by a party of Kuomintang C.E.C. members headed by Mr. Tang Shao-yi, the veteran statesman, was formally passed at the 2nd regular meeting of the 2nd Plenary Session of the Kuomintang Executive Committee this morning.

The proposal claims that the action recently taken by the South-west Executive Committee and the South-west Political Council in issuing orders from the Central Authority, usurpation of the rights of the Foreign Office in handling diplomatic affairs and changes in the nation's defence forces, are illegal. At present certain military leaders in the two Kwang Provinces are taking advantage of the existence of the two South-west organisations to make a stand against the Central Government.

Nanking Appointments  
General Yu Han-mow, Commander of the 1st Canton Army has been officially appointed as new Pacification Commissioner of Canton, the post of which was recently held by General Chan Chai-tong, according to Nationalist Government decree issued to-day.

Other decrees issued to-day include the appointments of General Li Chung-jen as Pacification Commissioner of Kwangsi, and General Pui Chung-hsi as vice-Commissioner. General Chan Chai-tong has been appointed as member of the Council of National Defence, but has been dismissed from the post of Pacification Commissioner of Canton. Mr. Lin Yun-kai has been appointed member of the Kwangtung Provincial Government Council and concurrently Chairman of the Council. Mr. Wong Kuei-so has been appointed member of the Kwangsi Provincial Government Council and concurrently Chairman of the Council.—*Wah Kiu Yat Po*.

Southern Army Changes  
Nanking, July 13. By order of the Nanking Military Council the 1st Group Army Forces will be reorganised, and will from to-day be called the 4th Route Army with General Yu Han-mow as Commander-in-Chief.

The other appointments are:—  
General Li Chen-kau, vice-Commander of the 1st Army;  
General Chang Tai, Commander of the 2nd Army, and General Li Han-wei, vice-Commander;  
General Li Yang-king, Vice-Commander-in-Chief of the 4th Route Army Forces and concurrently Commander of the 3rd Army, with General Weng Yan-ching as Vice-Commander;  
General Wong Yan-wan, Commander of the 4th Army;  
General Mow Pu-nam, Commander of the 5th Army, and General Lin Shih-shing, Vice-Commander.—*Wah Kiu Yat Po*.

Chan Chai-tong Asked to Leave  
Canton, July 13. It is revealed that General Chiau Kai-shok has telegraphed to General Chan Chai-tong on July 10 requesting him to relinquish his present post and proceed to the capital to join in the task of coping with the crisis.

The commanders of the First Group Army to-day telegraphed to General Chiau Kai-shok declaring that General Chan Chai-tong was needed in Canton owing to the threatening situation in South China. His orders were also needed to lead the South-West anti-Japanese campaign. Hence he is urged not to go to Nanking before the Central Government announces anti-Japanese resistance.

"Should you really desire the presence of General Chan Chai-tong in the capital you must first show anti-Japanese resistance deeds to the country. Then your request to General Chan will be complied with," concluded the message.—*Reuter*.

Session to End To-day  
Shanghai, July 13. The Nanking Plenary Session of the Central Executive Committee is expected to end to-morrow, and be followed by a meeting of the Central Political Council on Wednesday, for the purpose of appointing the Presidents of the Yuans and other ministers.

It is understood that the present office holders will be re-appointed.—*Reuter*.

Official Denials  
Canton, July 13. Officials this morning denied that the late Mr. Hu Han-min's personal secretary, Mr. Wong Yeung-cheung, had been assassinated, as he was seen at the former Government leader's funeral this morning.

Furthermore, reports of two Kwangtung gunboats defecting and making their way to Hongkong have also been denied officially while the rumoured assassination of General Miao Pei-nam is described as being without foundation.—*United Press*.

Execution Denied  
Canton, July 13. The rumour that General Miao Pei-nam was executed is declared to be entirely unfounded in official circles. General Miao Pei-nam attended a

## RELICS FROM "BRITANNIA"

### PROCEEDS FOR KING GEORGE FUND

London, July 13. A cheque for £274 8s. 4d. for the King George V National Memorial Fund has been received by the Lord Mayor.

It was sent at the direction of the King, who has already made a personal contribution of £1,000 to the Fund, and represents the amount realised at a recent sale of gear and fittings of the late King's famous racing yacht, Britannia, which was scuttled off the Isle of Wight last Friday, in accordance with King George's wish.—*British Wireless*.

## FLIERS REWARDED

Madrid, July 13. The Manila-Madrid Race, Arranz and Calvo, have been awarded the Cross of the Order of Military Merit in recognition of their flight, the first long-distance air voyage ever attempted by Filipinos.—*United Press*.

## MIXED DOUBLES LEAGUE

(Continued from Page 8.)

and Mrs. McCaw 3-6; beat S. A. Gray and Miss G. White 6-0.  
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The results of the match between the Chinese and the Services are: W. C. Hung and Mrs. V. Litton lost to L. Goldman and Mrs. W. H. Wilson 1-6; lost to A. L. Sullivan and Mrs. R. Holmes 4-6; beat Major L. Wilkinson and Mrs. R. Ashton 6-3; beat Wai-pui and Mrs. C. C. Chiu beat Goldman and Mrs. Wilson 6-4; beat Sullivan and Mrs. Holmes 6-1; and beat Major Wilkinson and Mrs. Ashton 6-1.

Tsui Pun-pui and Miss R. Perry lost to Goldman and Mrs. Wilson 3-6; beat Sullivan and Mrs. Holmes 6-3; and beat Major Wilkinson and Mrs. Ashton 6-2.

conference at military headquarters this afternoon.—*Reuter*.

Assassination Rumour  
Canton, July 13. Officials denied an unconfirmed Hongkong rumour that General Miao Pei-nam, formerly General Chan Chai-tong's Chief of Staff, was assassinated in Canton on July 12 after attempting defection.

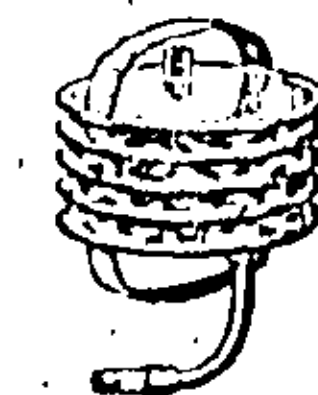
It is alleged that he was plotting to overthrow General Chan Chai-tong. It is noteworthy that General Miao Pei-nam was recently promoted to commander of the Fifth Army. He is reported to have declined the post due to disapproval of the South-west movement.—*United Press*.

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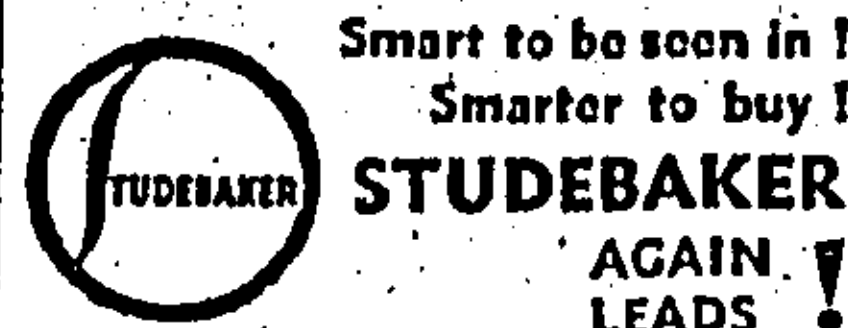
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THE  
AUSTRO-GERMAN  
ACCORD

Whilst the Austro-German agreement has, on the whole, been favourably received in Europe, it is somewhat early in the day as yet to estimate its full implications. There must, therefore, be a tendency to suspend judgment until the situation becomes clarified. Taken at its face value, the new accord would seem to amount to little more than a long overdue regularisation of relations between Germany and Austria, but when we bear in mind Italy's position as virtual protector of Austrian independence, the agreement may have other and more significant aspects. Whether the move will mean a revival of the Triple Alliance remains to be seen. A thought which at once suggests itself in this connection is that the old-time Triple Alliance proved a broken reed to Germany in the Great War, although it must be conceded that the Italy of to-day is not the Italy of pre-war times. As to Italy's part in the future developments, it is of interest to note reports which were recently current to the effect that Mussolini is believed to be behind the movement or the restoration of the Hapsburgs. These reports stated that the Duce informed Dr. Schuschnigg, at their recent meeting, that he wished to act as "mediator" between the Austrian Government and the moderate Nazis, both Austrian and German. He was said to have promised the Austrian Chancellor that Italy would continue to uphold the political independence of Austria, but to have emphasised the necessity of a relaxation of the tension between Berlin and Vienna. This move has been interpreted as part of the campaign by Mussolini for a new line-up in Central Europe which would remove the German "threat" to the Brenner frontier and leave Italy a freer hand for negotiations with Britain and France. That a Hapsburg restoration would fit in well with Mussolini's plans seems proved by an authoritative statement by one of the leading Austrian legitimists, who stated that "it will be the first task of the Austrian Government after the restoration to bring about, first, an appeasement of the Little Entente by a solemn promise that the Austrian Monarchy has no desire to recover the lost territories of the former Austro-Hungarian Empire, and, secondly, to secure an economic and political rapprochement with Germany." These developments are of peculiar interest at this moment. What Berlin would think of the restoration of the Hapsburgs has not thus far been disclosed. This, however, is only one angle of a somewhat complicated situation, from which the most definite indication emerging is that

THE Abyssinian Empire is in ruins.

The League of Nations, which persuaded Haile Selassie to reject all overtures of peace while he still had an army to back his bargaining power, and then chattered "collective security" while Badoglio bombed and gassed his way to Addis Ababa—that League, too, is coming to pieces.

So now comes a flood of inspired talk about a new League, they call it a "Reformed" League (much as people speak of a reformed drunkard). There is a certain kind of honest shame in this hurry to create a fresh League of Nations. It would be painful if, when the old one was next discussing sanctions at Geneva, Ex-Emperor Haile Selassie should turn up to listen.

IN WHAT FORM IS IT? proposed to raise this new League from the ashes of the old?

Talks of bringing Japan back takes no account of Japan's urgent troubles in the Far East. They are troubles not likely to be solved inside an institution dominated by Western Powers.

The idea of including the United States in a new world League looks like being an entirely European affair. Indeed, the primary desire of many who are moving in the matter is to bring Germany back within the fold—even at the cost of seeing the Soviet Union walk out. Now, if this conception of a European Concert takes root, Britain will be expected to sustain and support it in the fullest degree. The propaganda in its favour will be attractive. Why, the speeches about the imperishable and indivisible heritage of European culture and civilisation write themselves.

Better examine what are the realities of politics that this ideal involves. If the new League is to command general support on the Continent, it must be on the basis of giving mutual defence against aggression. It must mean that existing frontiers shall be maintained, as between members of the League, or, any rate, that these frontiers shall be changed only by consent.

Do you think that is a possible basis for peace in Europe? In the heart of Europe dwell a proud, strong, valiant, and highly intelligent race. They are organised and regimented beyond any parallel in history, under the iron regime of men who know what they want and have given abundant proof that they mean to get it.

The mighty German nation now numbers 68,000,000 people. They are increasing at the rate of 900,000 every year. And beyond the frontiers of the German Reich it is claimed that another 15,351,000 are to be found in neighbouring countries. The citizens of Germany have come to believe that the entire number of these exiles will within a measurable time be returned in one all-embracing Germanic State.

IT IS ADOLF Hitler, Dictator of Germany, who has taught them this. Hitler, the Austrian born beyond the border river of the Inn, is

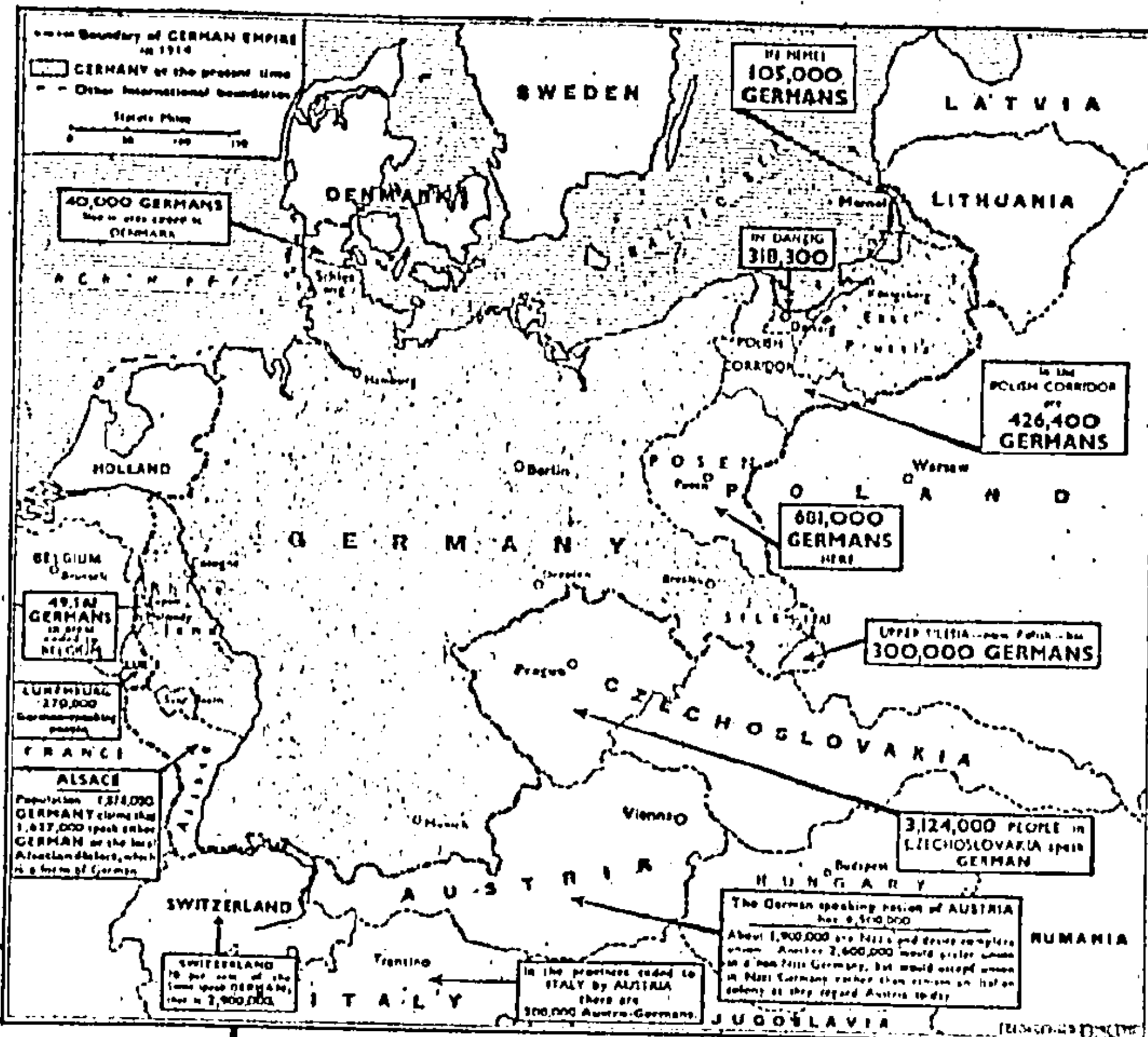
## NOTES OF THE DAY

## THAT CHIT LAW

It was probably news to some of our readers to learn from the special article which appeared in yesterday's Telegraph that chit-signing by non-residents of Hotels, unless accompanied by the purchase of a "meal," is illegal. Our object in giving prominence to the point was to cite it as an example of many laws which clutter up the

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Germany, Austria and Italy are being more closely drawn together. France appears somewhat worried over the development, while British comment at this stage is marked by caution. If the new accord can be made the starting-point of a peaceful adjustment of European affairs, it will mark an important step towards world peace. Britain will perform have to consider the whole question of balance of power and eventually come more into the open. A policy of hesitancy cannot continue indefinitely, for that way danger

There are  
Fifteen million  
Germans outside  
Germany . . . and  
Hitler wants them backSAID  
HITLER:

"Not till the confines  
of the Reich include  
every single German . . ."

the prophet who preaches the  
reunion of all Germans.

In the very first sentence of his famous "Mein Kampf," Hitler writes: "It stands me in good stead to-day that fate decided that I, Braun, on the River Inn, should be my birthplace. That little town lies on the frontier between two German States, the reunion of which, younger ones regard as a work for Munich. The day that war broke out, I volunteered for German service in a German Bavarian regiment. My heart," says Hitler, "was never in love with an Austrian monarchy, but ever beat for a German Reich."

FROM THE midst of the most cynical discussions of the mentality of the mob, this THING of blood is stated up: "Not till the confines of the Reich include every single German 4,500,000 of them are ready for union and are certain of being able to in a Greater Germany."

nourish him can there be a moral right for Germany to acquire territory abroad. The German people have no right to dabble in a colonial policy as long as they are unable to gather their sons into a common State."

It was because the Austro-Hungarian State in which he was born failed to accept this Germanic race idea that Hitler hated it. He saw in the mixture of Serb, Hungarian, Croat, and Italian races a purely political agglomeration that prevented a real marriage between German Austria and Imperial Germany.

So as a young man Hitler dodged Austrian conscription. He left Vienna for Munich. The day that war broke out, he volunteered for German service in a German Bavarian regiment. "My heart," says Hitler, "was never in love with an Austrian monarchy, but ever beat for a German Reich."

Now that the Serbs and the Czechs speaking citizens in Alsace, Transylvania, and the Balkans have detached themselves from Austria, leaving behind a residue of a left alone, like the Irish, have not purely German population, do you suppose that Hitler's heart beats less for a German Reich, especially since he is now master of the greater part of his dreamed-of commonwealth? Not in Austria there are 6,500,000 that is not governing it at the moment.

The Luxembourgers (270,000 of them altogether) speak German, and the Swiss Germans number 2,500,000, though neither of these peoples have expressed any real desire for a closer union with Germany. The Nazi race propagandists, however, have not abandoned these offshoots of the main stem.

NOW IF HITLER means to carry on with his programme as laid down in "Mein Kampf," you can see that considerable upheavals are due before these 15,351,000 wandering sheep of the German flock can ever be gathered in.

That's not all. There are 300,000 Germans in Italy, perhaps twice as many more in Jugoslavia and Rumania. There is a German colony of close upon a million in Russia, scattered from the Ukraine to the Baltic States. Any one of those populations might be persuaded to start an "irredentist" campaign. History tells that the easiest of all excuses for war is that you are going in to rescue your poor little brother from the bully who oppresses him. The German race, indeed, is spread across the world—pretty near as widely as the Jews.

DOES HITLER hope to bring them all within the "Common Reich of the Common Blood"? If not, who can say at what precise point the doctrine of Teutonic race unity is to be allowed to halt?

In Germany Hitler is hammering and welding 68,000,000 people into a single sword dedicated to this belief. Outside of Germany millions who speak the German tongue are being drenched with the same propaganda.

Frank Owen

## SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"I wouldn't mind father repeating the cute things I say, but they're not so good the way he tells them."



# EMPIRE CLOSING RANKS IN THE PACIFIC

"ANTI-WAR" DRIVE

## Hongkong Included In International Drive For Peace

Washington, July 13.

With their campaign to get 50,000,000 signatures for a People's Mandate against war well under way in the United States and Europe, the Women's International League is preparing to send representatives to the Far East to get the drive started in China and Japan. A representative will leave for Hongkong on July 18.

The mandate calling upon governments to stop increasing armaments, to use present peace machinery for the settlement of conflicts, to sign a world treaty for immediate reduction of arms and to secure international agreements recognizing world interdependence, has already been translated into French, Spanish, German and Swedish and is being circulated in 30 countries.

The League, headed by Mrs. Hannah Clothier Hull, of Swarthmore, Penna., has succeeded in getting Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt to act as honorary chairman of the mandate committee in the United States. Blanks with room for 4,000,000 signatures are already in circulation in this country with a goal of 12,000,000 by spring.

Just back from Europe where she spent two months initiating the drive, Miss Mabel Vernon, campaign director of the League, finds that the present crisis abroad has made peace

## Dr. Digby To Represent H.K. At Meet In Hawaii

PAN-PACIFIC ASSOCIATION

Honolulu, Hawaii, July 10.

Prominent surgeons from all countries bordering the Pacific will gather in Honolulu August 6 to 14 for the second congress of the Pan Pacific Surgical Association at which latest developments in all phases of surgery will come under discussion.

An official invitation to the governments of the United States, Canada, Central and South America, Australia, New Zealand, Japan, China, Java, and the Philippines to send delegates to the congress has been extended at the request of the governor of Hawaii by the U. S. States department.

Many of the noted medical experts who participated in the first congress held here in 1929 have signified their intention of attending this summer's meeting.

Among the medical experts expected to take an active part in the congress will be W. S. New, Chairman, Chinese Medical Association Shanghai; J. H. Liu, director, Department of Health, Nanking; P. T. Greene, chief of surgical division, Huanan-Yale Medical College, Changshau; H. L. Chang, Peiping Union Medical College; B. Martin, head of department of surgery, Sun Yat Sen University, Canton; Kenneth H. Digby, University of Hongkong; Y. S. Lee, Severance Union Medical College, Seoul, Korea; E. Nowak, Soerabua, Java; J. K. W. Newberger, Los Angeles; Clarence E. Rees, San Diego; J. C. Geiger, director of public health, San Francisco; W. Jones Harriman, Long Beach; L. R. Chandler, dean of school of medicine, Stanford University, Palo Alto, California; A. H. Peacock and A. T. Wannamaker, Seattle, Wash.; C. Jeff Miller, New Orleans; Malcolm T. MacEachern, associate director American College of Surgeons, Chicago.

The congress will be divided into fourteen major sections for discussion and study. The divisions include: general surgery, surgical research, neuro-surgery, plastic surgery, traumatic surgery, orthopedic surgery, otolaryngology, ophthalmology, gynaecology and obstetrics, roentgenology and neurological surgery.

Dr. George W. Swift, Seattle, Wash., internationally prominent for his work in neuro-surgery and president of the Pan Pacific Surgical Association, will preside over the congress.

## Significance Of Australia's Trade War With Japanese

### SINGAPORE THE PIVOT OF DEFENCE

## Roosevelt's Pledge To Mr. J. A. Lyons

(By A Special Correspondent)

### HONGKONG AND THE FAR EAST IN GENERAL ARE CLOSELY INVOLVED IN AUSTRALIA'S INTENTION TO TAKE A DECISIVE STAND IN DEALING WITH PROBLEMS OF THE PACIFIC

Australia, it is revealed, viewed the Far Eastern crisis so seriously that she has risked a major trade quarrel with Japan and has agreed to buy an extra £4,000,000 worth of British goods every year as a preliminary to closer co-ordination of British and Australian defence plans in the Pacific.

CONSIDERATIONS of strategy based on Singapore are the main spring of this consolidation of Imperial interests. In the case of Australia these interests have suffered some divergence in the past when international relationships were less strained, but there is evidence of a growing awareness of the necessity for a complete understanding with Britain. The new trade agreement has smoothed the way towards such an understanding.

The move has not been an easy one for Australia. The new agreement will increase the value of Australian imports from Britain to some £35 millions annually. Viewed in the light of Britain's purchases from Australia in 1934-35—valued at £63½ millions—this does not seem a remarkable sacrifice.

#### BLOW TO JAPAN

But the increase will be made up largely of imports of British rayon and cotton goods, to the virtual exclusion of Japan in the better quality lines of these articles.

Japan's expected retaliation, in the form of heavy tariffs on Australian wool, wheat, and hides strikes a serious blow at Australia, which at present enjoys a favourable trade balance with Japan amounting to more than £7,000,000 a year.

Other Australian imports by the new agreement are motor cars. Here the U.S.A. will be the chief sufferer, but she is not likely to join Japan in retaliatory measures.

In the first place the U.S.A. is already £8,000,000 to the good in her annual trade dealings with Australia. In the second place a new understanding has grown up between America and Australia in the Pacific.

#### ROOSEVELT'S PROMISE

It began when the Prime Minister of Australia (Mr. J. A. Lyons) was passing through America on his way to the Jubilee Celebrations last year, and received a personal assurance from President Roosevelt that if Australia were ever the victim of aggression the U.S.A. would immediately come to her aid.

It was re-inforced this year at the London Naval Conference when the Japanese delegates abruptly walked out and left Great Britain and U.S.A. to discuss Pacific problems on their own.

Australia's anxiety for closer unity with Britain in trade, finance, and defence are illustrated by the visits to London, all within the past 12 months of the Premiers of Queensland and New South Wales, and the former Premier of Victoria. They were joined by the Commonwealth Deputy Prime Minister, Dr. Earle Page, and the Attorney-General, Mr. Menzies, who is widely regarded as Australia's next Prime Minister.

#### AUSTRALIA ARMS

The conversations which followed at Whitehall have not been made public, and are never likely to be, but their immediate sequel was remarkable.

The new Anglo-Australian trade pact was announced. So also was a new Australian defence programme, an arrangement by the Commonwealth Government to set up plant for the mass production of aero-engines and war planes; a new stimulus for civil aviation in Australia; and a new conciliatory attitude towards the new Empire air-mail route, the Australian section of which the Commonwealth Government had flatly re-

fused to approve. The new Australian defence programme includes:

An intensive recruiting campaign.

Modernisation of military aerodromes and provision of new seaplane bases on her extensive coastline.

Manufacture of tanks, armoured cars, and heavy armament (in addition to the aeroplanes already mentioned).

#### NEW CRUISERS

The possibility of Australia establishing a new squadron of four light cruisers instead of her two "County" class cruisers, H.M.A.S. Australia and Canberra, and the obsolete cruisers, H.M.A.S. Sydney and Adelaide, is also being discussed.

Preliminary plans for the establishment of an aero-engine plant entail an initial expenditure of £1,000,000. A tour of British aeroplane factories was completed recently on behalf of the Commonwealth Government, and engines will be produced in Australia under licence.

Civil aviation, which in the Australian continent, with its tenuous communications, is an invaluable adjunct to defence plans, has been rapidly developed in the past few months. Australia's internal air lines now total more than 16,000 miles.

#### JAPANESE ESTRANGEMENT

The less cordial note that has entered into Austral-Japanese relations is unfortunate by contrast with the optimism which prevailed during the visit of the Australian Trade Mission to Japan.

There is no hostility towards the Japanese people in Australia. On the contrary there is a great deal of sympathy for their problems and admiration for their industry. But, Australia realises that, in a world of economic nationalism, trade and defence problems are indissoluble.

The recent military coup in Tokyo and its partial success has also had a disquieting effect.

Australia fears that a similar coup might give the naval faction a predominant hold on Japanese foreign policy. This would undoubtedly divert Japanese expansionist policy from the Asiatic mainland to the Pacific.

#### AUSTRALIA'S CHOICE

Australia felt that she was called upon to decide between Britain and Japan as to her trade future. She naturally considered her decision on primary considerations of territorial security.

The new trade agreement with Britain will stand, but it is also likely that Australia will be able to arrive at some new basis of understanding with Japan.

## RADIO BROADCAST

Daventry—Foreign Affairs By Sir Frederick Whyte

### A STUDIO RECITAL

From Z.B.V. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles): 4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme. 7 p.m. Excerpts from "The Mikado" (Gilbert and Sullivan). 7-7:25 p.m. Patricia Rossborough at the Piano.

1. Rene Marie—Selection; 2. The Town Talker—Selection; 3. Sweetest Joe, the Candy Man; 4. A Cavalcade of Martial Tunes.

7:40 p.m. Light Orchestral Selections.

Raymond—Overture (Thomas); By the Sleepy Lagoon (Eric Coates); The Clock and the Dresden China Figures (Ketelbey); In the Shadows (Finck).

8 p.m. Time, Weather, Stock Quotations and Announcements.

8:05 p.m. A Variety Concert. Song—A Little Door, A Little Lock, A Little Key... Val Rosing; Instrumental—Italian Cavalcade... The Hosiery Band—Alexander's Ragtime Band; Song—I Love Dancing... Josephine Baker; Band—Maid of Brazil; Vocal—Oh! Leo... The American Elton Boys; Accordion Solos—Top Hat—Selection; The Big Broadcast 1936—Selection—George Scott-Wood; Vocal—Chloe (Song of the Swamp)... The Radio Three; Vocal—Drury Lane Fantasia Memories.

8:45 p.m. Concert Waltzes. Blue Danube (J. Strauss); Moonlight on the Alster (Fetras); Helena Waltzer (Offenbach); Kongreb Waltzer (Strauss).

9 p.m. Daventry News Bulletin and Announcements.

9:20 p.m. Two Violin Solos by Yehudi Menuhin.

1. Moto Perpetuo (Perpetual Motion) (Paganini); 2. Sarabande and Tambourin (Sarabande).

9:30 p.m. From the Studio. A Recital by Nura Khan (Pianoforte) and J. McNaught Thomson (Baritone). Programme.

1. Songs—(a) The Auctioneers (b) Old Furniture (c) The Rocking Chair; from Cycle of Songs ("Old Furniture")... Arundale; 2. Pianoforte Solos—Two Songs without Words... Mendelssohn; 3. Songs—Sink Red Sun... Del Rio; 4. Pianoforte Solos—Two Studies... Chopin; 5. Song—She is far from the Land... Lambert.

10 p.m. A Relay from Daventry. Big Ben: Talk: "Foreign Affairs" by Sir Frederick Whyte, K.C.S.I., L.D.

10:17 p.m. Dance Music by Jack Jackson and his Orchestra.

11 p.m. Close Down.

### ZEESEN PROGRAMMES

Special programmes for Far Eastern listeners will be broadcast from Zeesen as follows:

DJH 19.74 m 15.200 kc 1.35-3 p.m. DJH 19.74 m 15.200 kc 4.45-8.15 p.m. DJN 31.45 m 9.540 kc 4.45-8.15 p.m. DJD 19.74 m 15.200 kc 9 p.m.-12.30 a.m.

#### SOUTH ASIA ZONE

South Asia Zone broadcast from DJH (19.74 metres) and DJN (31.45 metres). 4.45 p.m. German Folk Song.

5 p.m. Famous Musicians' Choice. 5 p.m. Piano Solo: The Sonata in C major op. 5 and "Lazaretti" by Beethoven.

5:30 p.m. News and Review in English. 5:45 p.m. Here comes the German Minister. 6:30 p.m. "Und demnach ist's ich!" 6:45 p.m. News and Review in German. 7 p.m. Concert of Light Music. 8 p.m. News in English. 8:15 p.m. Greetings to our Listeners in New Zealand.

8:20 p.m. Little German Broadcasting. 8:35 p.m. Concert of Light Music (continued).

#### EAST ASIA ZONE

East Asia Zone broadcast through DJH on 10.00 metres (10.280 kc.) 1.30-3 p.m. Concert. News at 2 p.m.

5:05 p.m. German Folk Song. 5:15 p.m. Greetings to our Listeners in the Dutch East Indies.

5:15 p.m. News and Review in German. 5:30 p.m. Hosiery Band Programme. 5:45 p.m. Adagio and Scherzo for Piano. Quoted by Josef Soder.

10 p.m. News and Review in English on DJH. 10:15 p.m. Today in Germany. 10:30 p.m. Request Concert: Hello, hello! You wish—we play. 11:30 p.m. Special Broadcast for China.

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#### Transmission 1

(G.S.G., G.S.I.) 12:30 p.m. Big Ben. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. 1.5 p.m. A Studio Concert by Empire Artists. 1:40 p.m. Talk. 2:15 p.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 2:15 p.m.

#### Transmission 2

(G.S.G., G.S.I.) 7:15 p.m. The B.B.C. Northern Ireland Orchestra. 8:30 p.m. "Zulu" Number Eleven. 8:45 p.m. A Recital by Kathleen Denyer (Pianoforte).

Greenwich Time Signal at 9 p.m. 9 p.m. The News and Announcements. 9:20 p.m. The Birmingham Theatre Royal Orchestra.

#### Transmission 3

(G.S.G., G.S.I., G.S.B.) 10 p.m. Big Ben. "Foreign Affairs." 10:15 p.m. South Country Dance. 10:30 p.m. Around the Cornice, No. 2. 11 p.m. Evensong from York Minster. Musical Interlude.

11:35 p.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 11:35 a.m. 11:45 a.m. An Organ Recital. 12:45 a.m. Soprano Solos.

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of establishing a vast wool industry in Korea and Manchukuo.

It is unlikely, however, that Japan will be able to fulfil her threats. South Africa cannot supply either the quantity or the quality of the wool required by Japanese manufacturers. Sheep-raising experiments in Manchukuo have not met with conspicuous success to date, and in any case it would take many years to produce a large clip.

The change-over would also entail the re-equipment of Japanese woolen mills at a cost that is probably prohibitive to Japan in her present financial straits. The present machinery has been designed specially to handle fine merino wool of a type that Australia alone can produce.

The claim of patriotic Japanese generals that the fighting services will dispense with wool and use cotton is not likely to prove prac-

ticable during a winter campaign in Mongolia, or even in North China.

The main cause of regret seems to be Mr. Lyons's inspired outburst that "Japan had tried to coerce Australia's trade policy."

In these days of trade rivalry which often amounts to nothing less than an extension of war into the field of economics during a military armistice, it is nothing less than hypocritical for any country to accuse another of "coercion" or "unfair retaliation."

British interests in the Far East will be more inclined to take a realistic view of this latest development of the crisis in the Pacific, and will hope for a realistic solution of the problems involved. As the gateway between Asia and the Fifth Continent Hongkong cannot afford to be disinterested.



# Mixed Doubles League Is Good As Won

## C.R.C. WINS VITAL MATCH RECREIO'S VICTORY

It will now require something very unexpected to stop Chinese Recreation Club from winning the mixed doubles tennis league. They made the title virtually safe yesterday by beating U.S.R.C. six sets to three. This was as anticipated but it is interesting to cogitate on the possible outcome of the watch had the United Services enjoyed the presence of Mrs. Kayll and Mrs. Dowling.

An it was their successors put up very creditable shows. Mrs. Holmes assisted Sullivan to beat W. C. Hung and Mrs. Linton, the same couple also winning three games from Tsui Yung-pui and Miss Rose Perry. Goldman and Mrs. Nora Wilson scored decisively against Hung and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu after a fine set.

The Tsui brothers played admirable tennis for the winners and contributed a notable part to the result.

### RECREIO WINS.

Club de Recreio had the satisfaction of securing their first win of the season when they entertained and beat K.C.C. (2) by the odd set. The losers introduced a new pair in Gray and Miss G. White, but they met with no success.

The visitors were greatly indebted to Clark and Mrs. McCaw for their good showing against an improved team, and but for one unfortunate lapse they would have forced a draw for the K.C.C.

Against A. V. Remedios and Miss A. Roza, Clark and Mrs. McCaw were leading 5-2 and 40-15 on Clark's service. Then Remedios took complete command of the court and by some superb driving and fine volleying saved this game and went on to win the set at 7-5. During this period Miss Roza gave excellent support by her sound returns while the visiting pair, hitherto dominant, lost their touch.

It was an exciting set, there being no less than eight deuce calls on Clark's service for the 11th game. Clark and Mrs. McCaw won their other two sets in convincing manner, while Guest and Mrs. Kew had the satisfaction of securing a set and a half.

Remedios was the outstanding player of the match, but the most interesting feature was the all-round improvement shown by the Recreio lady players. Miss O. M. Ribeiro made a promising debut with A. V. Gosano.

This was the second time the teams have met this season, the initial match ending in a draw.

### LEAGUE TABLE.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
C.R.C.	3	3	0	0	23	4	0
U.S.R.C.	3	2	0	1	16	11	4
Recreio	2	1	0	1	9 1/2	8 1/2	3
K.C.C. (1)	2	1	0	1	10 1/2	7 1/2	2
K.C.C. (2)	6	0	1	5	13	41	1

### RECREIO V. K.C.C.

The results of the Recreio and K.C.C. match are:

A. V. Gosano and Miss O. M. Ribeiro drew with A. E. Grant and Mrs. A. J. Kew 6-5; lost to G. Clark (Continued on Page 5.)

## To-day's Football Meeting

### AN IMPORTANT AGENDA

Hongkong Football Association will this evening hold one of its most important annual meetings for several years. It is solutions vitally affecting the constitution of the league will be proposed and discussed with the idea of finding ways and means of rationalising the hitherto chaotic football season.

Of prime importance is a motion to reconstitute the first division by permitting clubs to enter but one team in the division. But it is likely that an amendment will be proposed with the object of restricting the numerical strength of the division. Another alternative is that all charity and knock-out tournament matches shall be played on Sundays, leaving Saturdays free for league games.

The season's finances and the ever-recurring heavy losses may also be discussed.

The meeting will take place at the Sports Club at 6.30 p.m.

## Helen Jacobs Once Used Crutches

Few people know that Miss Helen Hull Jacobs, the American lawn tennis champion and No. 1 of the Wimbledon Cup team, suffers occasionally, when playing, from a slight physical disability.

She confesses to it in a volume of personal reminiscences published recently.

Helen was six, and amusing her sister, aged one, by standing up in bed and bouncing vigorously up and down.

Suddenly she bounced off the bed on to the corner of a rocking chair, cutting her foot to the bone. "I remember the floor covered with blood" (she writes), "the face of my mother, and the crutches that followed some weeks later."

"Now that foot is the only handicap I ever suffer on a tennis court."

## WELLARD AND JACKSON

### EARN BOWLING HONOURS

### SOMERSET WIN

Wellard of Somerset and Jackson of Worcester were the leading lights in the county cricket match between these teams which concluded to-day in a win for Somerset by 170 runs.

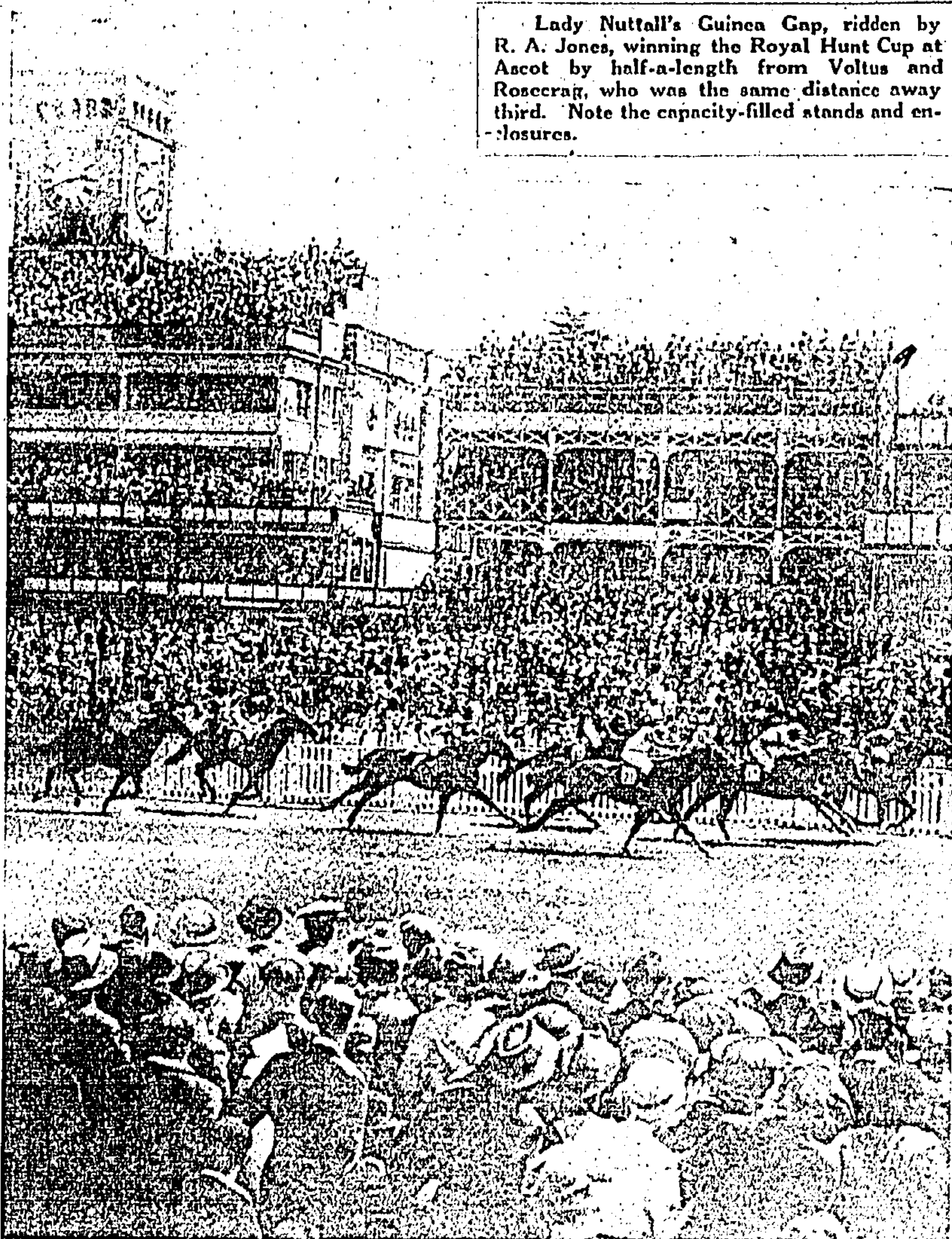
Both took ten wickets in the course of the match, the four innings aggregating but 444 runs. Worcester were twice dismissed for less than 80.

Here are the figures of Wellard and Jackson.

Wellard (1st innings) 5 for 16  
2nd innings 5 for 29  
Jackson (1st innings) 5 for 62  
2nd innings 5 for 59

Howarth also bowled with effect for Worcester, capturing five wickets for 74 in Somerset's second knock.

The winners scored 142 and 165, while Worcester could only amass 60 and 77.—*Reuter.*



Lady Nuttall's Guinea Gap, ridden by R. A. Jones, winning the Royal Hunt Cup at Ascot by half-a-length from Voltus and Rosecrag, who was the same distance away third. Note the capacity-filled stands and enclosures.

## Guinea Gap Wins The Royal Hunt Cup

### Beats Voltus By Half Length

(By Captain Heath)

King Sol again bestrode his kindly splendour on Ascot but whoever it is regulates fortune's destinies was not on the side of the majority of punters when the Royal Hunt Cup came up to be decided. Lady Nuttall's Guinea Gap, a 28-1 chance, ridden by Robert Jones, won half a length from Voltus, who was in turn a similar distance in front of Rosecrag with Gunboat, Hans Sachs, Finalist and Galvani next in order.

It was a fine race in which I should say the winner made the whole of the running that mattered though Saracen and Over Coat led early on, and so well did Guinea Gap hang on that he was never in danger of capitulating before the various challenges which were delivered.

Over Coat did not quite stay this severe almost mile. In a way it was a race of disappointments—many big events this year have been—but we must not withhold credit from Guinea Gap, who has been placed every time he has run this season, and this was his sixth outing.

Thoroughly exposed and therefore handicapped, to the pound, Guinea Gap found that little bit extra which good horses can on occasions produce. There was considerable delay at the post, caused by Fresh Fox, who had also cut capers in the paddock before he went to line up, but eventually they got away to a nice start.

I sensed the fate of Chuchoteur when I picked him out from among the ruck at half-way. At this stage Steve was galloping behind a bunch of horses and vainly attempting to battle a path through them; eventually he pulled wide of the group, but by that time his chalice had gone.

But Chuchoteur lives to fight a winning battle another day. It is pretty obvious that Voltus can be placed to win a decent race before he is much older. He has already won twice this season.

The winner is a five-year-old, but second, third and fourth are all a year younger—the favoured age for winners of this particular race.

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### TOTE TURNOVER

Ascot's gigantic totalisator is heading for another gigantic record.

This season the receipts for the first three days total £321,370,

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## THRILLING GOLD CUP DUEL

### AMERICAN HORSE BEATEN

(By "The Picquet")

An American who had come especially to see the Kentucky Derby champion, Omaha, running in the Gold Cup came up to me (a complete stranger) after the race to-day.

He said: "I see you're an Englishman. Well, I congratulate you. That filly of yours (could he have mistaken me for Lord Stanley?) is the toughest bit of horseflesh I've ever seen."

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## R.E.'S GOOD CRICKET SEASON

### Records And Averages

The complete records of the Royal Engineers' cricket club for the 1935-36 season, unavoidably delayed, are just to hand. They reveal that during the season the club took part in the Hongkong Cricket League (second division) and the Large Units League as well as playing a number of friendly matches.

The complete records shows that 26 games were played, 12 won, 10 lost and four drawn.

In the Hongkong Cricket League, six out of ten matches were won, two lost and two drawn, while in the friendly engagements, 14 matches were played, five won, seven lost and two drawn. After reaching the final of the Large Units knock-out league, the Sappers were beaten by the East Lancashires.

Below will be found their records for the season, together with the batting and bowling averages.

### LEAGUE MATCHES

Beat Indian Recreation Club by four runs; beat Civil Service Cricket Club by four wickets; drew with Kowloon Cricket Club; beat Police Recreation Club by three wickets; lost to R.A.M.C. by two runs; beat R.A.S.C. by 26 runs; lost to Crutchever Cricket Club by one wicket; beat Club de Recreio by four runs; beat Hongkong University by seven wickets; drew with Royal Navy.

### FRIENDLY MATCHES

Beat Hongkong University by 74 runs; drew with Diocesan Boys' School; drew with R.A.M.C.; lost to Royal Welch Fusiliers by 81 runs; lost to Central British School by 54 runs; beat H.K.C.C. by 105 runs; lost to R.A.S.C. by four wickets; beat East Lancashires by one wicket; beat R.A.M.C. by one wicket; lost to Central British School by two wickets; lost to Royal Artillery by eight wickets; lost to Indian Recreation Club by 88 runs; lost to H.K.C.C. by one wicket; lost to Royal Artillery by 27 runs.

### LARGE UNITS LEAGUE

Beat Royal Welch Fusiliers by 17 runs; lost to East Lancashires (in final) by three wickets.

### BATTING AVERAGES

Name	No. of Times	Ins.	N.O.	Runs in Ins.	Average
Col. Kirk	16	2	382	76	41.5
Cpl. Bell	14	1	240	61	17.4
Cpl. Waterhouse	24	2	361	54	16.3
Capt. Merton	22	4	299	66	16.61
Sgt. Binch	14	0	218	81	15.57
Capt. Warr	13	3	131	25	13.12
Capt. Singer	14	3	141	46	12.53
Sgt. Storey	6	0	60	19	12.5
L/Cpl. Ship	13	0	260	109	11.7
Capt. Foley	18	8	192	27	10.66
Capt. M.S. Eaton	16	2	148	60	10.5
Sgt. Hoddinott	17	2	136	33	9
Sgt. Bole	6	3	21	11	7
Sgt. Corbridge	6	0	35	27	7
Sgt. Coppard	6	0	39	15	6.5
Sgt. Bradford	19	0	41	11	4.1

### BOWLING AVERAGES

Name	O.	M.	R.	Wkts.	Average
Sgt. Hoddinott	214.5	60	613	50	10.26
Capt. Merton	102	13	308	27	11.41
L/Cpl. Ship	153.5	29	650	46	12.2
Sgt. Bradford	124.0	21	298	31	12.4
Capt. M.S. Eaton	39	4	161	11	14
Cpl. Waterhouse	50	4	248	17	14.50

## Our Daily Golf Hint

The swing must have an anchor, and the head is the anchor. Also there can be no other anchor.

—Grantland Rice.

## ASTONVILLA'S LOSS WAS £10,885

### Last Season

Financial side of big football is enough to make one dizzy, so big are the figures sometimes. Aston Villa, who poured out thousands of pounds on new players last season in a desperate but unsuccessful effort to avoid relegation, have issued their balance-sheet.

It shows a loss on the year's working of £10,885, compared with a loss the previous season of £2,515.

"The loss (states the report) is due to £2,000 being expended on the Witton-lane stand and to exceptional expenditure on players in the hope of improving the strength of the team."

Exceptional expenditure, indeed. Series of big "buys" last season put Villa in front-page headlines.

They were said to have spent round about £24,000 in a month; round about the £30,000 mark altogether.

### PLANNING THE FUTURE

Another extract from the report on this expenditure—

"It is a matter of regret to the directors that this did not have the desired result. The future is naturally a matter that provides the board with the gravest concern, and the closest consideration is being given to the formation of a team that will at the earliest possible moment regain for Aston Villa their First Division status."

Some more Villa figures Gates last season came to £64,196 against £52,539; players' wages, bonuses and transfers £44,500 against £31,490; ground maintenance £5,165; entertainment tax £8,792.

Annual meeting of the club will be held on July 3.

### LINCOLN APPOINTMENT

Soccer appointment: Charles William Spencer, former Newcastle United and England international, to be secretary-manager of Lincoln City in succession to Harry Parkes.

"C.W." who has been secretary-manager of Wigan Athletic, Cheshire County League club, has played a big part in that side's success during the past three years. He was player-manager of Tunbridge Wells.

Southampton F.C. profit last season was £932. First team "Gates" were up by £1,000. Sum received for goalkeeper Light's transfer to West Bromwich also helped to put accounts on right side.

## DIED PLAYING TENNIS GIRLS' SCHOOL TRAGEDY

A 21-year-old lawn tennis player collapsed and died during a match between Stamford High School and the school Old Girls at Stamford, Lincolnshire, recently.

She was Miss Gladys Scotney, only daughter of Councillor J. W. Scotney, of Stamford, a well-known Midlands antique dealer.

Miss Scotney and her partner had played four games when she suddenly fell to the ground.

A doctor was summoned and artificial respiration was tried, in vain.

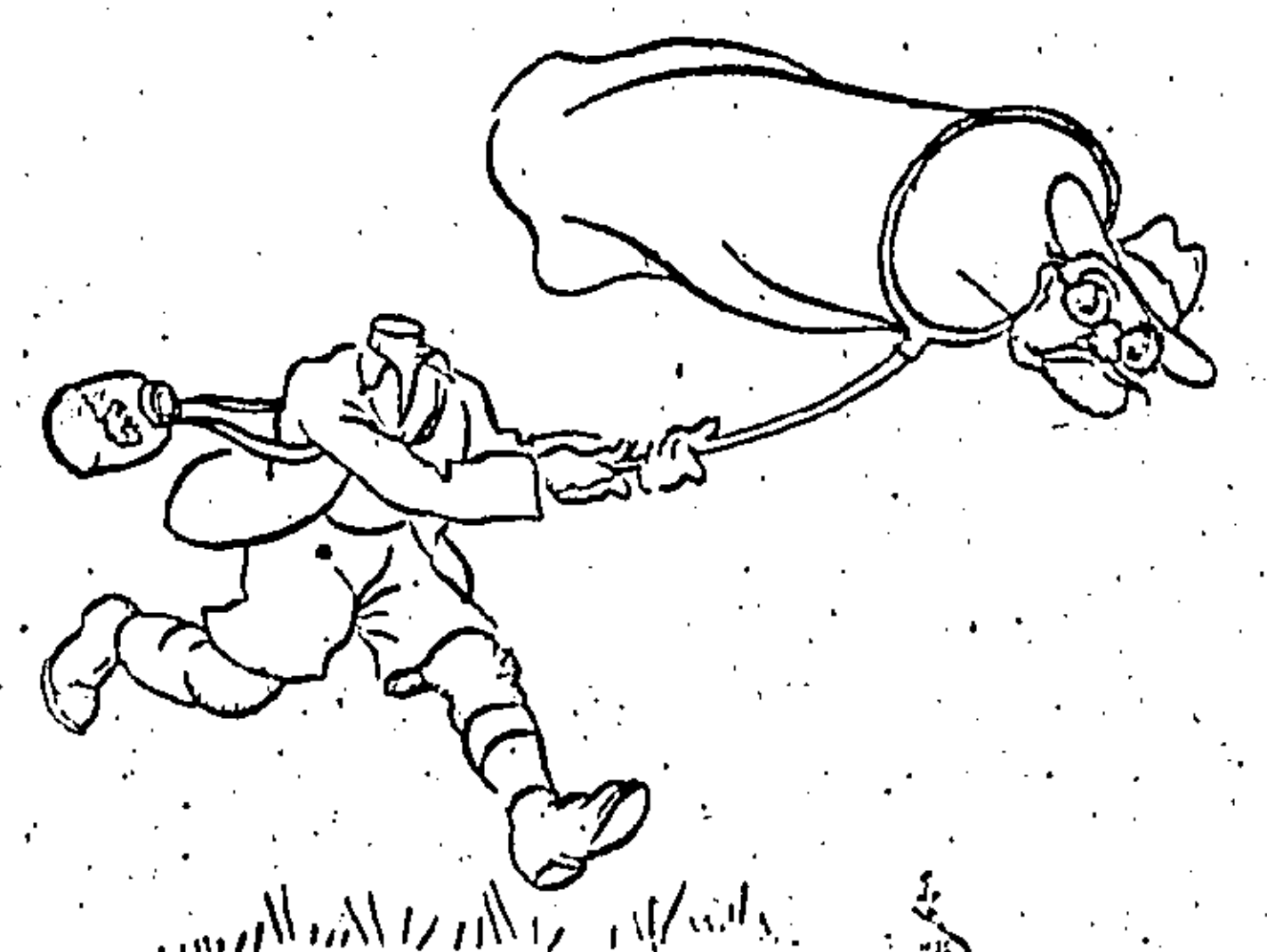
## MILITARY CRICKET

### A One-Sided Fixture In Battalion League

Playing in the Inter-Company League of the 2/East Lancashire Regiment, Headquarters Wing won easily from "B" Company at Sharncliffe, beating their opponents by 100 runs.

Headquarters Wing scored a total of 246 runs, of which Bds. Coster made 83, L/C Whitehead 44, Pte. Baker 34 and C.S.M. Elvin 28. Pte. Crabtree took four of the wickets for 39 runs.

C.S.M. Elvin and L/C Whitehead dismissed the "B" Company eleven for 66 runs. Pte. Cawthorne being top scorer with 13. Elvin took six wickets for 25 and Whitehead three for 23.



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ASCOT GOLD CUP. A fine close-up of the finish, showing Quashed (nearer camera) defeating Omaha.

## American Horse Nosed Out In Ascot Gold Cup Race

### KING'S HORSE WINS Quashed First Filly To Win Since 1894

(From the Picquet)

Ascot, June 19.

Pat Beasley lost his whip just as his mount, Omaha, and Quashed passed the post for the in-stand and candlesticks which are called the Ascot Gold Cup. Pat Beasley would not have won in any case, and he is too good a jockey to make excuses. The American horse ran "a great race," to use his trainer's words, and was short-headed by a slightly better horse. The rest, for all intents and purposes, were nowhere.

Lord Stanley, the lessee of Quashed, is the thirteenth owner of a mare or filly to have won this race since its inception in 1897. He is also the first owner to have won with a mare or filly who is not in the stud book. The greatest fillies to have won the race before Quashed, were Beeswing (1842) and La Fleche (1894), and none of her sex has won since the latter. Quashed is a granddaughter of Shogun (who was not in the stud book) and a great-granddaughter of Sambo, who won the cup in 1901. She goes back on her sire's side to the great Ascot Cup winner, St. Simon, and through her dam to Persimmon.

Omaha is also technically half-bred although, of course, he takes an honourable place in the American Stud Book.

Thus the two "outsiders," from a

climax came when Clark, who had got himself down to fighting weight, landed a phenomenal punch which knocked the ex-champion out for several minutes.

Pomeroy, when the ring doctor restored him to consciousness, became lyrical in his tribute to the actor's prowess. He declared, "Gable's punch felt like a cup of dynamite exploding at the end of my jaw."

"I'd like to train that bozo for the ring. He'd make a chopping-block out of those so-called champs."

breeding point of view, beat the thoroughbreds out of sight. Mr. Woodward, the owner of Omaha, has long pleaded the case for the admission of certain American strains into the English Stud Book and his claims must now be stronger than ever they were.

Dick Perryman admitted that both Quashed and Omaha were living as they passed the post. "But," said Dick, "my mare simply would not give in." He thought that from the time he took the lead, going into the straight, until the winning post was reached he was never headed.

Charles Elliott, who rode the third, Bokbul, was loud in his praises of first and second. His sympathies, I fancy, were with Omaha, for he stressed the fact that the horse had taken a lot out of himself through excellent before the race. "You can't afford to do that before a race like the Gold Cup," he added.

Omaha, according to some of the Paddock critics, looked lighter than he had looked at Kempton. That may be so, but he is still a most attractive individual. His owner was in America and, in the circumstances, Captain Boyd-Rochford, the trainer, was unable to say what his next race would be. Lord Stanley was equally blank concerning the future of Quashed, although he did not deny the story that Lady Barbara Smith, from whom Quashed is leased, would like her to be trained for some future Grand National.

## WINS RACE ON HONEYMOON

### T. T. RIDER GRAZES WALL, DASHES TO VICTORY

Victor last month in one of the most thrilling Lightweight Tourist Trophy races the Isle of Man has seen, was A. R. Foster, a 24-year-old motor agent who is honeymooning in the Island.

He covered the 264 miles in 3 hrs. 33 mins. 22 secs., making a new record of 74.29 miles an hour, on a 240 c.c. New Imperial.

Second was H. G. Tyrell Smith (219 c.c. Excelsior) whose time was 3 hrs. 38 mins. 34 secs.

Third was A. Geist (248 c.c. D.K.W.), time 3 hrs. 38 mins. 37 secs. The cracking pace was too much for most of the riders.

Eighteen gave up. Thirteen finished the course.

Foster had to battle against Stanley Woods, the Irish ace, holder of the Lightweight and Senior trophies, the Lightweight and Senior trophies, the Lightweight and Senior trophies, the Lightweight and Senior trophies.

Smashing his own record for the 373 miles lap on the second circuit with a speed of 76.20 m.p.h., he gained a comfortable lead.

A halt caused by plug trouble set him back into second place, but he was ahead again on the fourth circuit.

Foster responded and went ahead on the sixth lap.

Both forced themselves and their machines to the utmost on the final circuit.

Foster had a nasty moment when he grazed a wall at Ballinacree corner, but tore on unperturbed.

Woods again met trouble and limped home over the greater part of the last lap.

The last man G. S. Lowther, was flung off when his machine seized up on the Governor's Bridge hairpin bend and hit a tree.

Dazed, Lowther pushed his machine the last mile to qualify for a second-class award. He collapsed when he crossed the line.

## FOR BOWLS TITLES

### SIX MATCHES YESTERDAY

Yesterday's results in the Colony lawn bowls singles championships were practically all as expected. H. A. Alves, bowling with good judgment and precision, won comfortably, while A. Hyde Lay was never extended.

J. Shepherd had a nice win against W. K. Way, this being the one match which it was thought might have resulted differently, while A. E. Coates won without being unduly extended.

S. Bright and J. E. Henson and R. Duncan and S. Randle reached the semi-final of the open pairs championship, the first named figuring in a thrilling encounter with J. S. Landolt and D. Rumlaha.

Bright and Henson obtained the decision by a single point, the scores being level on the last but one end, after which they laid the shot to win the match.

M. A. Souza and W. V. Field offered less resistance to Duncan and Randle, losing by 25 shots to 16. Souza and Field started promisingly and won the first half dozen heads. But Duncan and Randle came along with a four on one head and, after securing the lead, did not relinquish it again.

Results in brief were:

OPEN SINGLES

H. A. Alves beat G. N. Mitchell 21-9

A. Hyde Lay beat H. F. Rozario 21-9

J. Shepherd beat W. K. Way 21-13

A. E. Coates beat P. E. Knight 21-14

OPEN PAIRS

(Quarter-Finals)

R. Duncan and J. S. Randle beat M.A.R. Souza and W. V. Field 21-16

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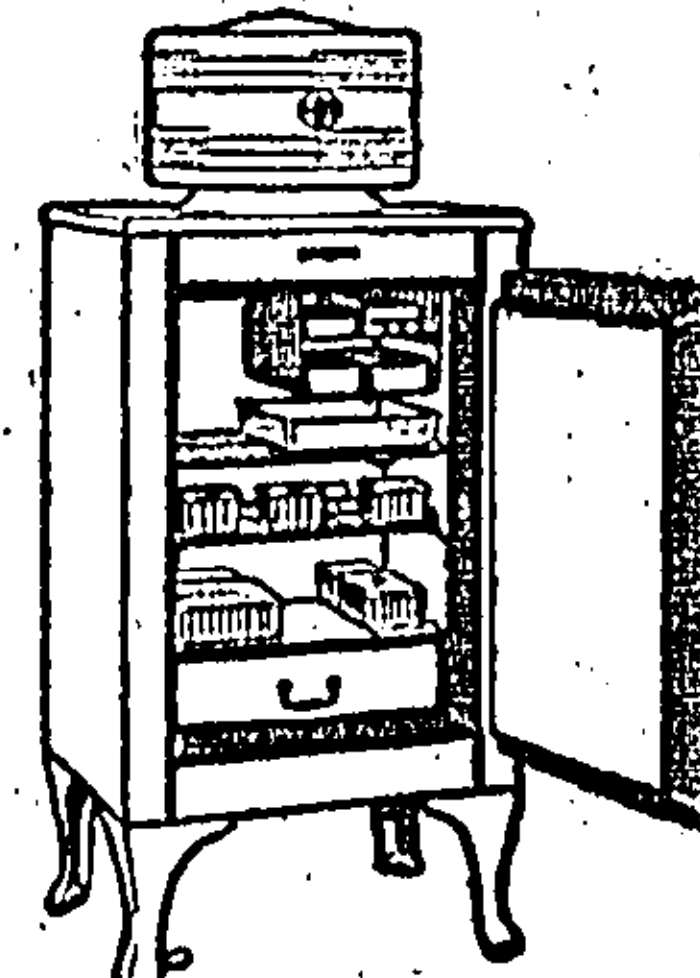
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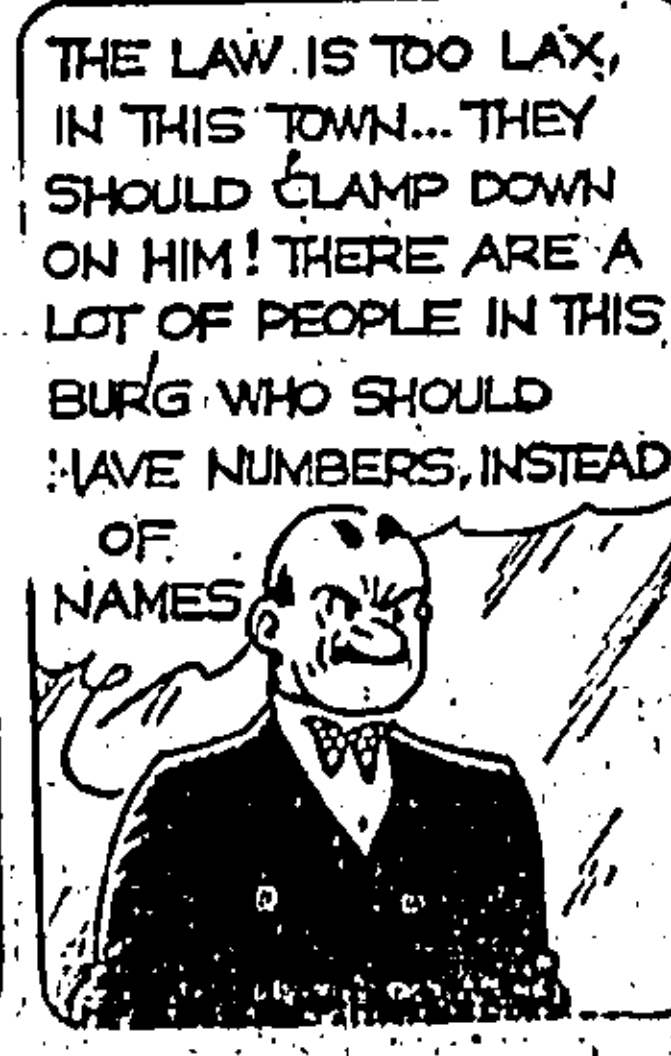
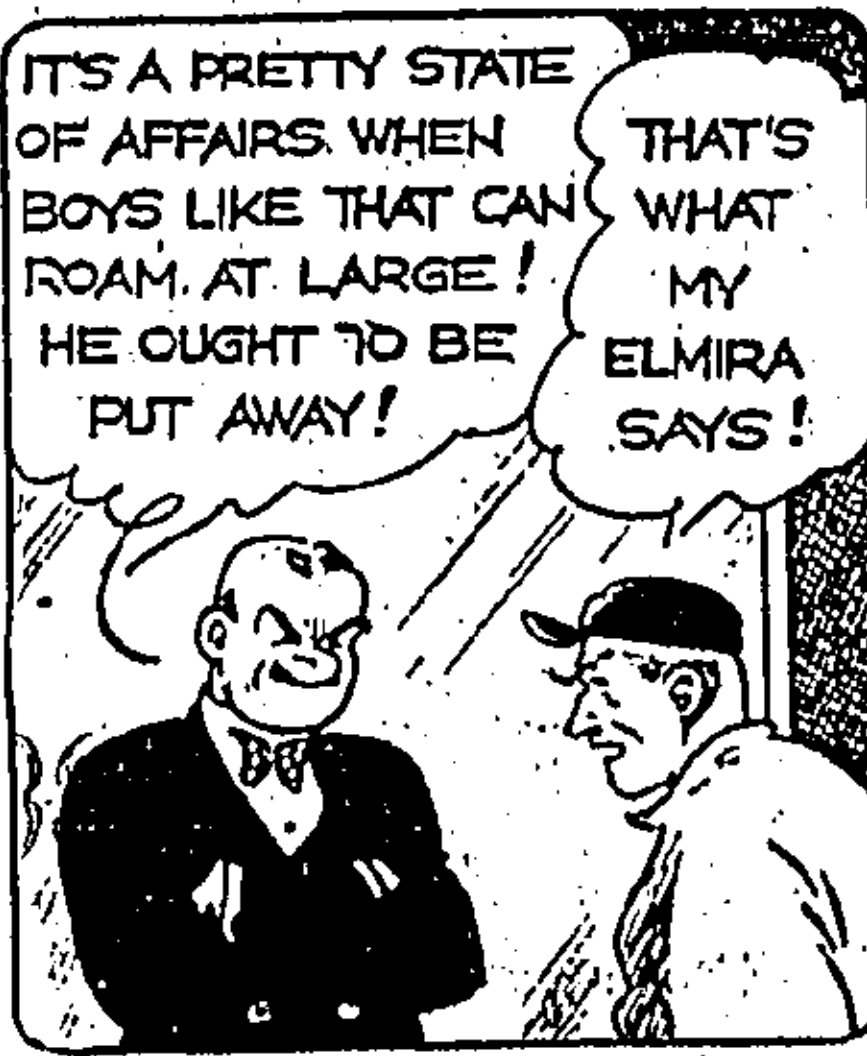
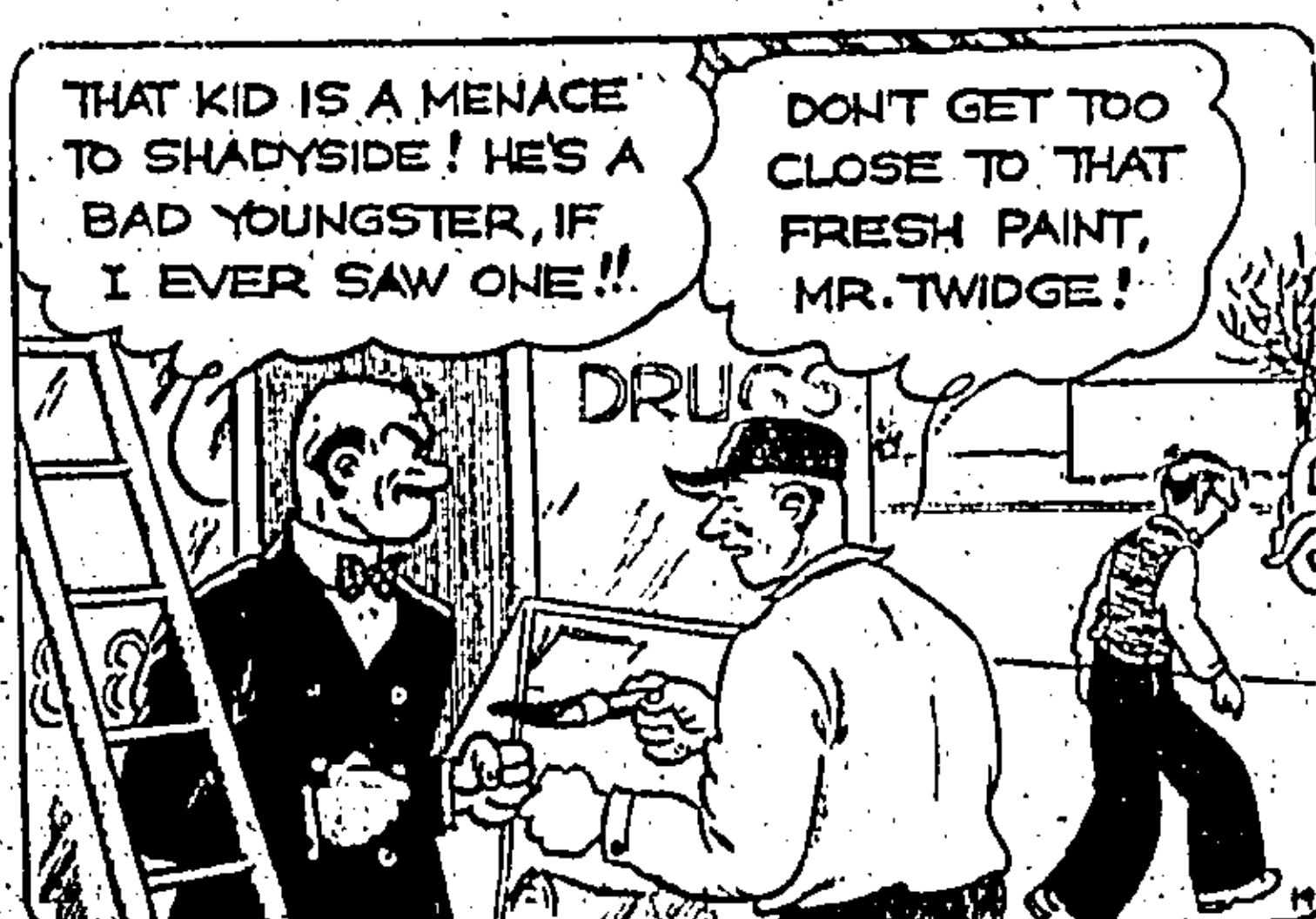
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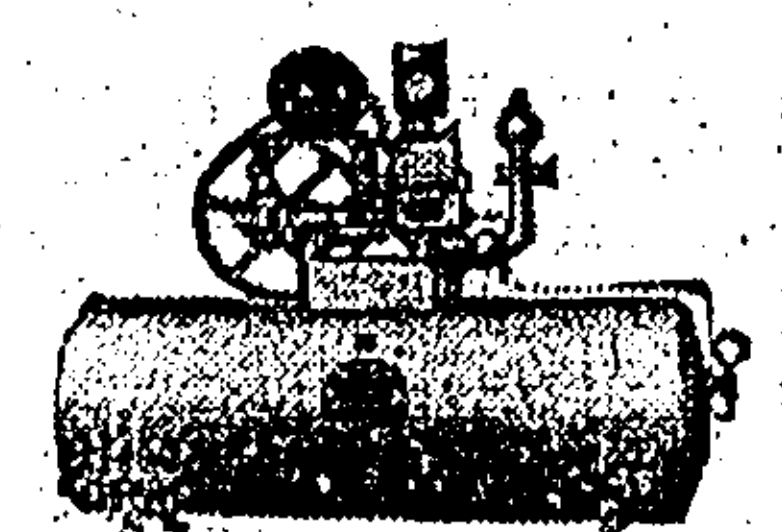
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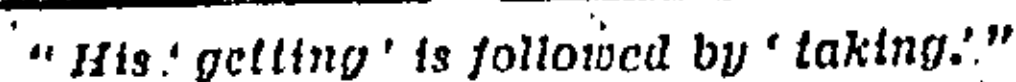
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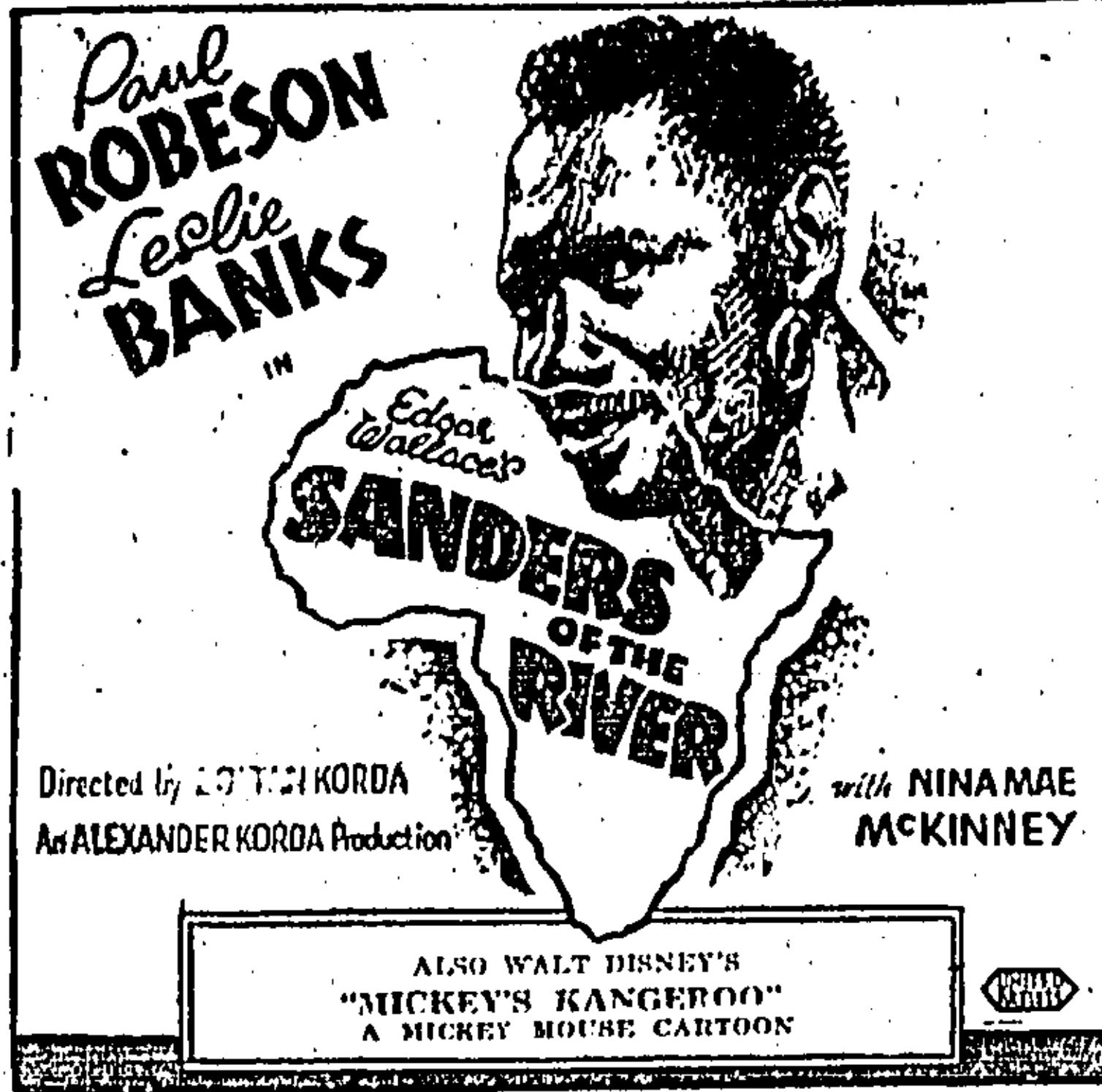




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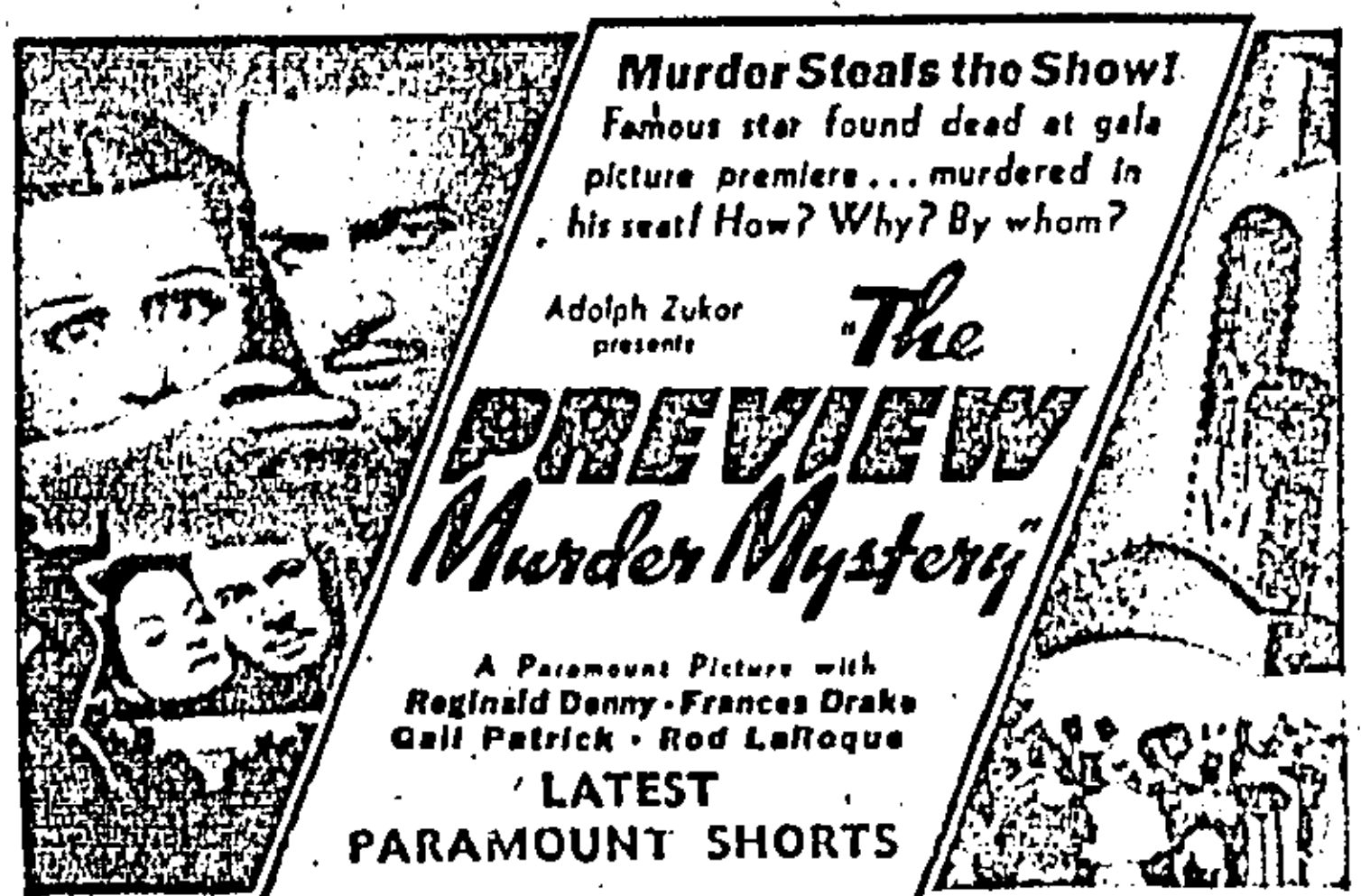
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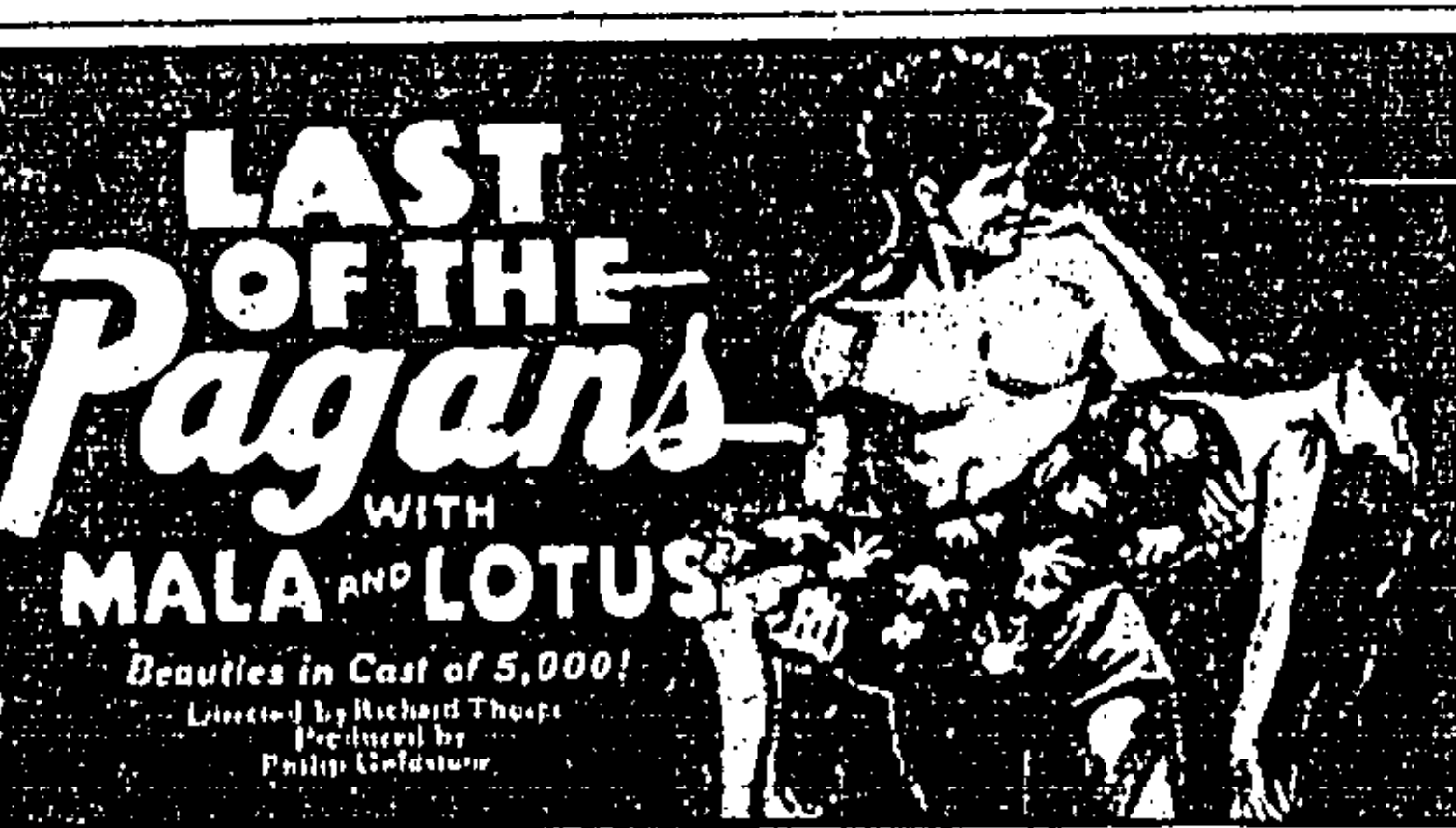
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Washington, July 1.

The mysterious process by which China maintains an equal balance of international payments in the face of large adverse merchandise balance and heavy losses through smuggling was revealed in a tentative analysis of the Chinese balance sheet for 1935 by the United States Department of Commerce.

This analysis, significant as the first such publication here, was prepared at the Shanghai office of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, and the findings were described "not as authoritative or conclusive, but as contributory to the study."

Among the Chinese outpayments "alleged inward smuggling of gold," "unrecorded imports (includes smuggled goods as well as unrecorded imports by the Government)." Another extraordinary item in the outpayments was 10,000,000 yuan charged to the

Smuggled gold exports were estimated at 20,000,000 yuan, and smuggled silver exports at 150,000,000. These figures were not further analyzed or commented, and left merely the inference of large losses to China through evasion of its laws. Other items attested abnormal international conditions affecting China in the past year.

China's balance of payments for 1935 was estimated in total at 1,429,000,000 yuan of outpayments and the same amount of inpayments.

Merchandise imports as recorded by the customs were 910,000,000 yuan, while merchandise exports were reported at 376,000,000. In view of an estimated 15 per cent. undervaluation of exports the amount of 87,000,000 yuan was credited to inpayments.

The complete analysis of outpayments by China in 1935 (estimated) totalling 1,429,000,000 yuan, was as follows:

Merchandise imports as recorded by the customs, 910,000,000; unrecorded imports by the government, 300,000,000.

Foreign loan services—customs, 66,000,000; United States wheat 12,000,000; salt, 12,000,000; railways, 16,000,000; total 107,000,000.

Alleged inward smuggling of gold, 10,000,000.

Profits of foreign firms in China remitted abroad, 20,000,000.

Chinese diplomatic, consular, traveller and student expenses, 10,000,000.

Yield on Chinese domestic loan bonds remitted abroad, 5,000,000.

Probable new credits established abroad by Chinese financial authorities in foreign currencies or in form of bullion deposits for reserves, or for exchange stabilization purposes, 30,000,000.

FLIGHT OF CAPITAL

Possible further flight of capital or new Chinese investments abroad, or on speculation abroad, 20,000,000.

The complete statement of China's estimated inpayments follow:

Merchandise exports, 376,000,000 yuan.

Undervaluation of exports, estimated 15 per cent., 87,000,000.

Export duties collected, 21,000,000.

Gold exports (net), recorded by customs, 39,000,000; smuggled 20,000,000; total 59,000,000.

Silver exports (net), recorded by customs, 39,000,000; smuggled 150,000,000.

Remittances from Chinese abroad, from Manchuria, 30,000,000; other, 250,000,000; total 280,000,000.

Tourist expenditures in China, 7,000,000.

Mission and philanthropic remittances, 25,000,000.

Foreign diplomatic, consular, military, naval expenditures in China, 80,000,000.

Receipts for Chinese holdings of foreign securities, 5,000,000.

Foreign shipping expenditures in China, 20,000,000.

Foreign investment, credit extensions, etc., 600,000.

Total inpayments, 1,429,000,000.—United Press.

### ONE WAY OF KEEPING COOL



This novelty for fire-soldiers was recently demonstrated at an exhibition in Berlin. From the helmet a water-curtain washes downwards on the fireman enabling him to approach the fire without being affected by the heat.

### SLEEPING BEAUTY WHO WON'T AWAKEN

Chicago, July 7.

The hope that flared briefly for the beautiful Patricia McGuire—that she might soon awake from her four-year-long sleep—has been dashed.

Her mother had the word of an eminent French authority on sleeping sickness, Dr. Rene Cruchet, that Patricia's case was exceptional but nevertheless a true case of Encephalitis Lethargica.

"She may live to an old age without substantial change in her condition," the French specialist said.

And her mother, Mrs. Peter Milley, said: "There is nothing we can do that we have not done."

"There is no special treatment that we can use. We just can care for her day by day."

Since February 15, 1932, Mrs. Milley has devoted her whole time to her daughter.

Encephalitis Lethargica was first described by Dr. Cruchet during the World War. He called it "Diffuse Encephalomyelitis," but in France it acquired the name Cruchet's disease, from the discoverer.

The French specialist had believed earlier that the "sleeping beauty" might be a victim of a type of hysteria—that her long sleep might be an "escape" from reality.

Here is the longest case of Encephalitis Lethargica, he said when he examined her. The girl's condition is one of semi-comatose, he explained.

He said he was sure she understood him when he talked to her of the disease because her eyes filled with tears.

The acute stage of her disease has passed, he said. Its consequences, in this case complicated, are lingering.—United Press.

### Synthetic Rubber

## American Claims For Newest Product

New York, July 7.

Tests of synthetic rubber known as DuPrene, have reportedly been so successful that the Army Air Corps are expecting to substantially increase the efficiency of their observation balloons.

At present, the Corps have in regular service at Fort Sill, Okla., the C-3, which uses DuPrene instead of the usual rubber impregnation.

After six months of severe exposure to all sorts of inclement weather, the DuPrene fabric was found to have retained normal characteristics.

On the other hand, it was discovered that the life of the old type of fabric, under the same conditions, lasts but approximately four months. Although there were no deleterious effects on the physical properties of rubberized fabric during the winter months, it took three months of the summer to considerably decrease the lifting power of the balloon.

Balloon fabric is normally made by placing a thin film of rubber between two plies of fabric. However, in the summer, deterioration sets in due to the oxidation of the rubber propping of cotton cloth. In this case permeability is high, reducing the lifting power. But, when DuPrene was used instead of the rubber, there was no change of

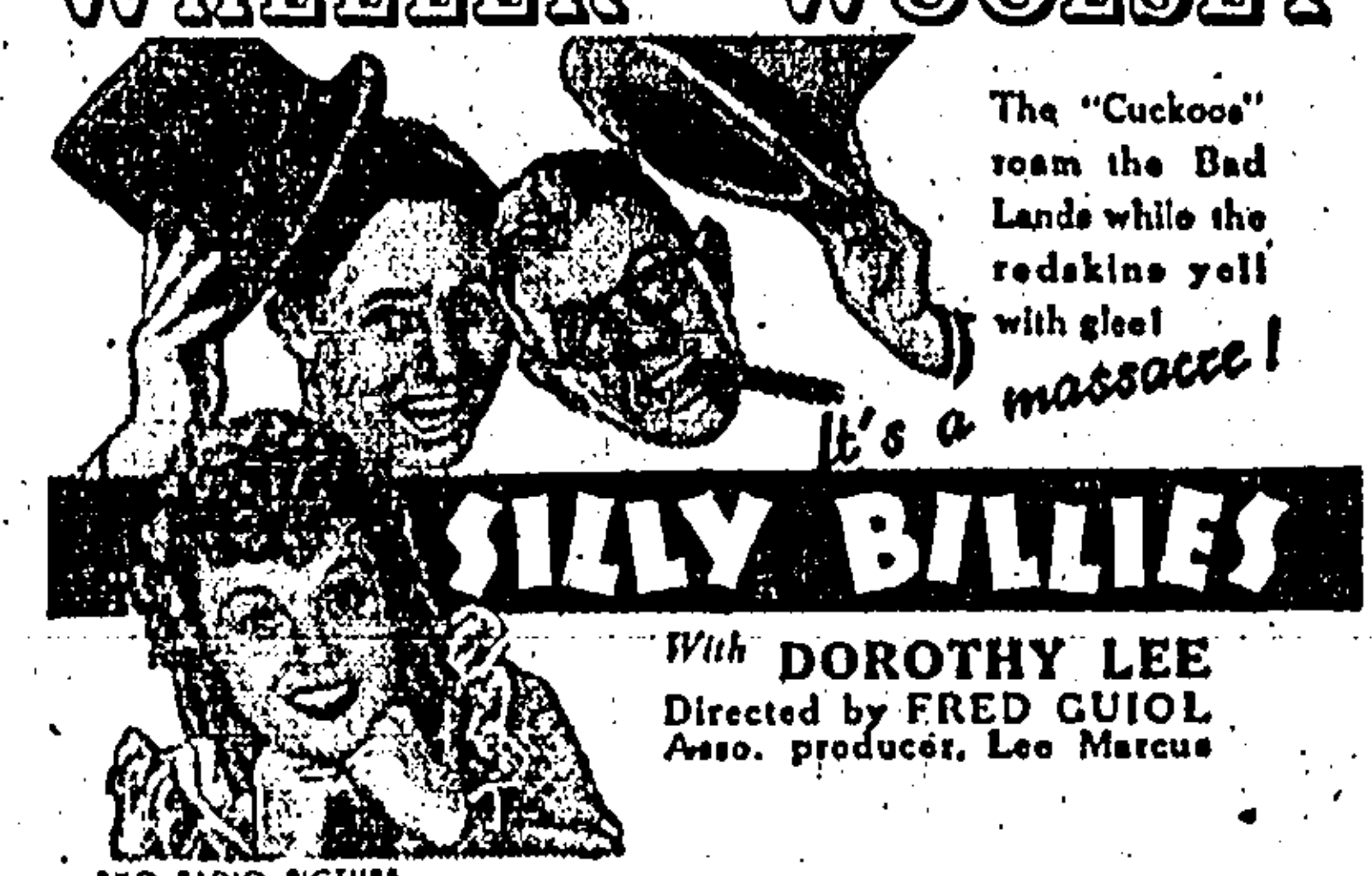
The seaming cement formula is essentially a pure gum stock, and is not particularly different from the standard type presently used. Also, a DuPrene adhesive type for applying over seams has been manufactured and seems to remain tacky for a reasonable length of time.—United Press.

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### BRITISH RAILWAYS

REPUTATION FOR SAFETY WELL MAINTAINED

The excellent record for safety of British railways, unequalled elsewhere in the world, was maintained last year, as is shown by the annual report of the Chief Inspecting Officer issued today.

Accidents were almost of the same low level as in previous years. The only serious increase is in the list of what are described as movement accidents, or those due to the presence of trains which, however, were not the cause of injuries. The majority of these accidents are attributed to lack of caution by the travelling public.

In train accidents the numbers of passengers killed and injured last year were 13 and 408 respectively. Thirteen deaths occurred in one accident, namely the collision at Welwyn Garden City, and the number compares with the annual average of seven for the previous five years.

Cases of injury show an appreciable decrease compared with the average for the past five years.—British Wireless.

### EXCHANGE

Selling

T.T.	1/3 1/4
Demand	1/3 1/4
T.T. Shanghai	106 1/2
T.T. Singapore	54 1/2
T.T. Japan	109 1/2
T.T. India	84 1/2
T.T. San Francisco & New York	32 1/2
T.T. Manila	64 1/2
T.T. Batavia	40 1/2
T.T. Bangkok	145 1/2
T.T. Saigon	48 1/2
T.T. Germany	4 1/2
T.T. Switzerland	97 1/2
T.T. Australia	1 1/2
T.T. Lisbon	68 1/2

Buying

4 m/s. L/C. London	1/3 1/4
4 m/s. D/P. do	1/3 1/4
4 m/s. L/C. U.S.A.	32 1/2
30 d/s. India	84 1/2
U.S. Cross rate in London	5.02 1/2

### EXCHANGE RATES

	July 10	July 13
Paris	76.1/64	75.61/04
Geneva	15.38 1/2	15.38 1/2
Berlin	12.40	12.40
Milan	36 1/2	36 1/2
Osaka	19.00	19.00
Shanghai	1/2.13/32	1/2.13/32
New York	5.02 1/2	5.02 1/2
Amsterdam	7.38 1/2	7.38 1/2
Venice	20 1/2	20 1/2
Prague	121	121
Madrid	36 1/2	36 1/2
Lisbon	110 1/2	110 1/2
Hongkong	1/3 1/4	1/3 1/4
Bombay	1/6 1/2	1/6 1/2
Brussels	20.72	20.71 1/2
Montreal	5.03 1/2	5.03 1/2
Monte Video	30 1/2	30 1/2
Belgrade	121	121
Yokohama	1/2.13/32	1/2.13/32
Silver (forward) 1934	10 1/2	10 1/2
Silver (Spot)	10 1/2	10 1/2
War Loan	100 1/2	100.3/16

—British Wireless.

### WATER LEVELS

STATE OF RIVERS IN KWANGTUNG

The following returns have been issued by the River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province, showing the water levels in English feet at the places of observation named:

	Highest on record	Lowest on record	July 12	July 13
West River at Wuchow	+7.0	-2.5	27.0	26.5
North River at Shuijing	+1.0	0	11.7	14.0
North River at Shuijing	+2.0	0	7.5	6.0
North River at Shuijing	+2.0	0	7.5	6.0
East River at Shekiung	+15.5	-2.7	2.2	2.1



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## MOTORING PAGE

110,000 cars  
die yearly  
but 271,000 are born

WE know all about the astonishing birth rate of motor cars.

We know, for example, that since Christmas more than 100,000 new motor cars have been produced and that during the present summer most of the 1,500,000 private cars now in existence will be put upon the roads.

Now I am able to tell you about the death rate of motor cars.

Figures have just been completed by the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders for last year.

In 1935 no fewer than 110,000 motor cars died in Britain. Many died a natural death in the yards of the break-up men. The disintegration of old motor cars has become a big business. After years of usefulness on the road the worn-out car is still of some value.

Parts that are still working are sold as "spares." Metal and rubber are sold as scrap. Intact the car may be worth a matter of £5. But the bits separated from the car may be worth three times that sum to the man who knows how to market them.

A few sentimental people who have had a lot of fun out of their motor cars refuse to sell them, and if they have sufficient room show them away in some odd corner of their estate.

## Old Cocks

After many years a car becomes what is known as an "old cock," and it again becomes valuable.

But it is not worth much to the car collector until it is about thirty years of age. Cars dating back to 1900 have fetched as much as £150.

The death rate of cars in 1935 nearly equals the birth rate of cars in 1924. It exceeds the 1924 birth rate by 40,000.

This death rate gives a striking illustration of the growth of motoring in Britain. While 110,000 cars went out of existence last year 271,000 cars were born. The birth rate exceeded the death rate by 161,000.

Whenever there are stories of enormous car sales, people say that we must be near saturation point. But \$450 a month is a potential car owner.

## Car Incomes

At present we still have only one car for every 250 inhabitants of Hongkong. In America the figure is out of existence last year 271,000 cars were born. The birth rate exceeded the death rate by 161,000.

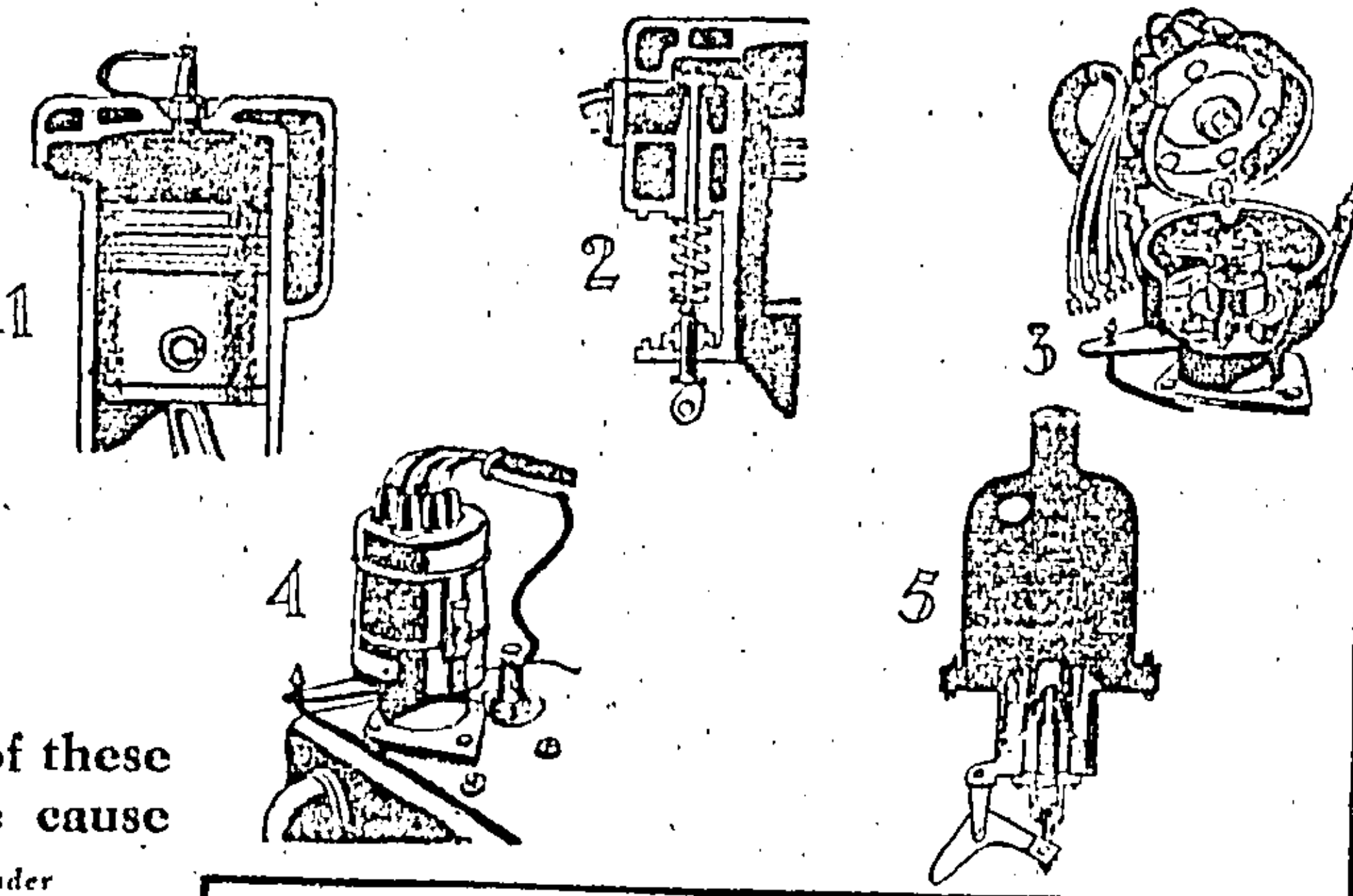
What sort of income do you require to run a motor-car? The statistics show that any one with an income of must be near saturation point. But \$450 a month is a potential car owner.

## POPULAR BAND RECORDINGS ON H.M.V. RECORDS.

B2204—Blaze Away.	March.	Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.
B2408—Colonel Bogey.	March.	Youth & Vigour.
B2501—Liberty Bell.	March.	Hiawatha.
B2647—Bells of St. Malo.	March.	Semper Fidelis.
B2924—Wee MacGregor Patrol.	March.	Policeman's Holiday.
B2941—Marche Lorraine.	March.	El Capitan.
B3530—Stoic Song.	March.	Old Comrades.
C1273—Condoliers Selection.	March.	Old Comrades.
C1369—1812 Overture.	March.	Old Comrades.
C1421—Zampa Overture.	March.	Old Comrades.
B4492—TIDWORTH TATTOO.	March.	Massed Bands.
B8025—	March.	Massed Bands.
B8106—ALDERSHOT TATTOO.	March.	Massed Bands.
B8188—	March.	Massed Bands.
B8224—	March.	Massed Bands.
B8236—	March.	Massed Bands.

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## Does your car climb well?—



## If not, one of these may be the cause

- (1) Carbon in cylinder
- (2) incorrect valve clearance
- (3) contact breaker points badly adjusted
- (4) incorrect ignition setting
- (5) unsuitable carburettor jets

There are approximately 1,000,000 cars in the world. But this does not mean that people do not run cars on less than this income.

People with incomes of \$1,000 a month are regarded as potential two-car owners. There are a considerable number of these.

Experts believe that there is no reason why ultimately there should not be 20,000 car owners in Hongkong—or roughly one car for every two Europeans. Our standard of living is comparatively higher than that in America, where every 4.6 persons own a car. This figure is still very far behind America.

Why has America the wonderful figure of 4.6 persons to every car?

It is not entirely due to better wages and cheaper vehicles. It is due mainly to the fact that car-owners in America, owing to cheap taxation and insurance, can motor out of income.

Here many people with small incomes have to save money to pay the tax and insurance before they can start motoring.

If we could pay our taxes and our insurance on the easy payment system there would be many more cars on the roads. We are not only over-taxed, but we have to pay our taxation in a lump sum.

## High-speed Escapes

W. L. Handley's escape from death during the car race at Donington recently, when he somersaulted four times when approaching a bend at 90 m.p.h., is only one of many high-speed racing escapes.

On Pendine Sands an Italian upset his car when travelling at 140 m.p.h. and got off with only slight injuries. In Denmark Sir Malcolm Campbell lost a tyre when travelling at 150 m.p.h.

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## Skids On Bends

This, however, does not necessarily mean that the faster you go the safer you are.

On the motor racecourse there are few accidents involving collisions. They occur mostly through skids on bends. The driver is usually eating his lunch out of the car.

There is no such thing as a safe car in a racing car—even of the unsplintering type—and the driver is not enclosed.

But do not try to emulate racing drivers on the roads this summer. Safety first!

## Good Cooking

## By Home Page Cook

## Cold Sweet Sauces

WE do not go in for cold sweet sauces much in Hongkong, and so a few recipes garnered from abroad may be useful.

## Apricot Sauce

Take equal quantities of cream and the pulp of tinned apricots rubbed through a sieve. Beat the cream stiffly, add it to the pulp and sweeten as you like.

## Coffee Cream Sauce

Ingredients: 1 cup strong coffee; 3 egg yolks; 4 3/4 egg whites. Beat the whites stiffly and add by degrees a tablespoonful of sugar; a gill of cream. Cream the eggs and sugar with a pinch of salt and add the coffee very gradually. Let the mixture cook in a double saucepan until it is thick, then when it is cold fold in the stiffly-whipped cream.

## Honey Cream Sauce

Ingredients: A gill cream; a trifle more honey; gradually add the sugar, beating all the while. Flavour with lemon. Beat the cream stiffly, then whip in the honey with a teaspoonful of vanilla essence or of brandy, if you prefer it.

## Melba Sauce

Squash some fresh or tinned raspberries and rub them through a sieve, then add a quarter of their weight in sugar and cook until it is a heavy syrup. Let them grow cold. (The famous Pêche Melba consists of a peach on a vanilla ice with this sauce poured over it.)

## Orange Sauce

Ingredients: 2 oranges; 1 lemon; powdered sugar; 2 eggs; 4 oz. powdered sugar; vanilla or brandy. Beat the whites stiffly and add by degrees a quarter of a pound of sugar, beating all the time. Finally add the juice of the lemon and the juice and grated rind of the orange. Cook in a double saucepan until it is thick, then when it is cold fold in the stiffly-whipped cream.

## Yellow Sauce

Ingredients: 2 eggs; 4 oz. powdered sugar; vanilla or brandy. Beat the whites stiffly and add by degrees a quarter of a pound of sugar, beating all the time. Finally add the juice of the lemon and the juice and grated rind of the orange. Cook in a double saucepan until it is thick, then when it is cold fold in the stiffly-whipped cream.

## Tell Tale Typing

NOTTINGHAM police are searching for a type-writer which has been used to type out address labels for the parcels of poisoned Easter eggs sent through the post to two families.

To a layman nearly all type-writing looks the same, but actually no two machines write exactly alike. After six weeks' use every machine develops all sorts of idiosyncrasies obvious to the expert.

When the police find the type-writer, a typewriting expert will use it to make a copy of the labels on the parcels. Then he will examine original and copy under a microscope.

## Peculiarities

If it is the right machine, the same peculiarities will appear in the copy as in the original. All sorts of letters will be slightly out of place, some will be thicker at the bottom than at the top.

When a machine is being assembled the keys are aligned by a mechanic. He does his best to make each letter print evenly and at the correct height. But it is impossible to get perfect alignment, and as every typist strikes some keys harder than others or does something else in a peculiar way, the machine soon develops individual characteristics.

It is no use for a typewriter thief to erase the number of a machine. Every machine has another secret number known only to the makers.

## Unknown SUFFOLK

SUFFOLK is one of those countries one hears little about, and it is not often visited.

Water is the key to this county. South and west and north it is defended by rivers.

The southern boundary is the Stour beside which both Constable and Gainsborough were born, and whose vale they both painted.

Westward the Lark, a lovely little trout stream, guards the county, while on the north you have first the Little Ouse, or Brandon, and then—loveliest and most leisurely of all river names—the Waveney.

## Good Sailing

The Waveney at Beccles is twelve feet deep and very clear. If you let the boat drift, and watch quietly you will see, every now and then, a fish moving in this transparency as smoothly as a drop of rain on a window.

There are others like the Orwell (or Gipping) and the Deben and the Stour, that have big estuaries, where you get good, though tricky, sailing, and cornfields and church towers and brown-sailed barges for a picture to frame your holiday in.

Ipwich is the county town for all sailing, and the White Horse Inn, and hence run many roads to the county's delights.

Beccles and Bungay, in the Waveney Valley, and Eye, on one of its tributaries, mustn't be missed. Cyclists, note that Suffolk gradients are easy ones.

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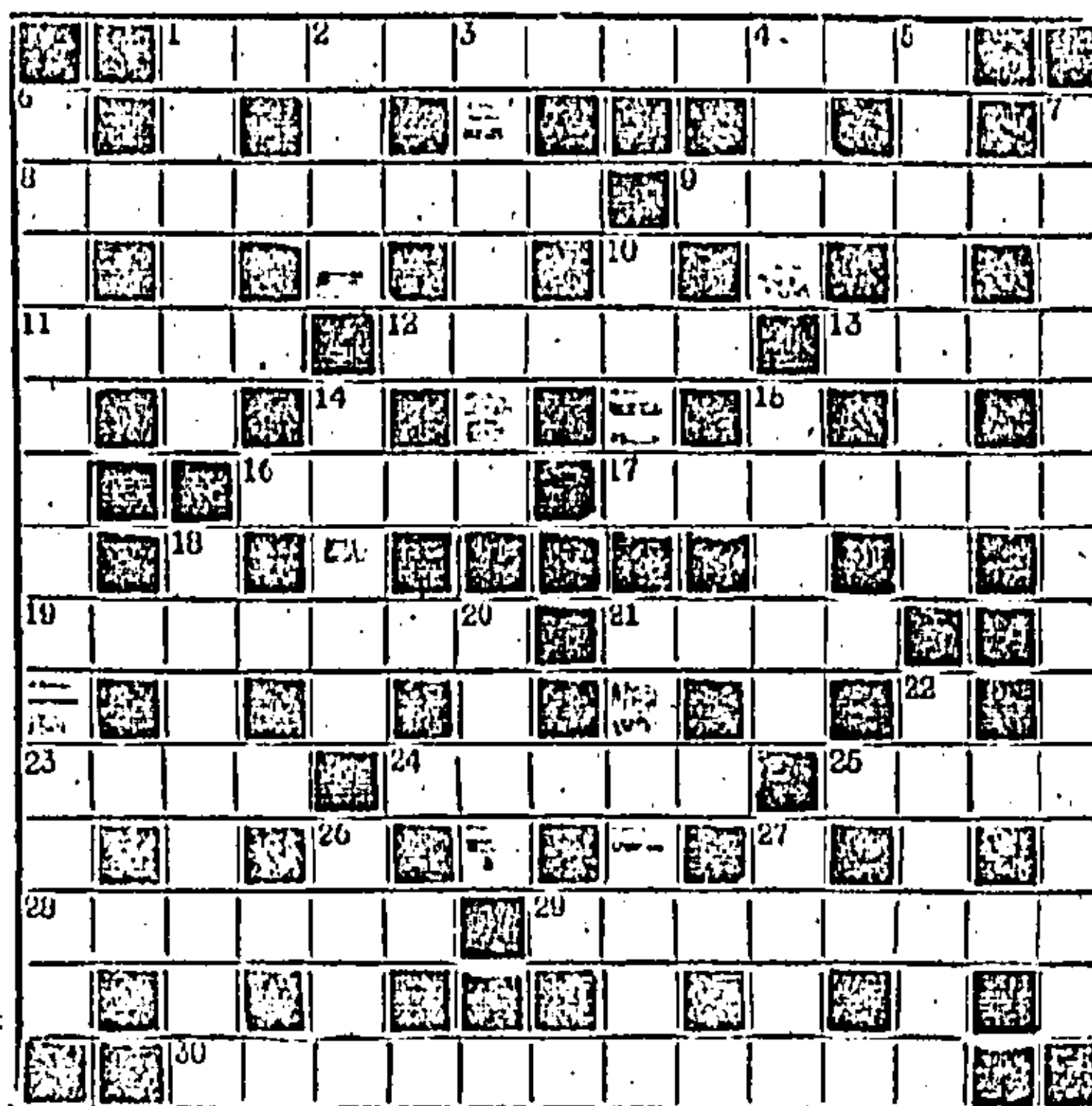
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## OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



## ACROSS

- 1 Sh! Woman. Fish! (mnag.).
- 2 Lowering.
- 3 A doctor gives the cane in disapproval.
- 4 Why scowl? Stay till I arrive: I hear she has the proper iron (hidden).
- 5 Sever, but only in your turns. This and that together.
- 6 Hidden in Clue 11.
- 7 If you regard them as borders, they are not herbaceous, and not tiring.
- 8 No, it isn't Edward who is infected, said he, speaking vulgarly.
- 9 You will have to run when the beast turns.
- 10 Hidden in Clue 11.
- 11 A custom that makes a hit with a sailor.
- 12 Animal of the cat tribe.
- 13 By irony father is put out at winter.
- 14 Thus in digs I arranged to indicate difference.

## DOWN

- 1 Sh! Ears are keen.
- 2 Spanish team at one time in this country.
- 3 Rubber neither Indian nor synthetic.
- 4 Listen.
- 5 Makes a good shop crib, though appreciated more in Scotland than in England.

- 6 Here both new and old testaments may be consulted (two words, 8, 5).
- 7 I toasted chips in a worldly-wise way.
- 8 Hum this and it's nothing out of the ordinary.
- 9 It seems a pity to make it dry, for it really isn't clean.
- 10 This plant has a cleansing effect.
- 11 Kind of place that does not live in aquariums.
- 12 Kest timber.
- 13 Suffering in not making a success.
- 14 Chastise.
- 15 These come out of the earth.
- 16 Hidden in Clue 11.

## Yesterday's Solution

DRAWING PINS  
A A A A O E K E E N  
M I L E T L O A N O N N  
N E L U I E R E B A T E  
M C A P R I C E G G N A R  
A Y A H E E E T R A G I C  
G E T C B I N O A I  
N E S T O R N T E M P E R  
A C C O L S D S S A C C  
C R O O K S P D A R A L  
B E N H R E L E A S E E  
A R A R A T C E T E K E M  
R G M O A T S P E W I T  
T H E M B R O S E T S S  
A R E N F R A N C H I S E

## HONG KONG SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN

The total expenditure in 1936 on behalf of sick and destitute children is estimated at \$25,000, against which the Income to date is \$18,000 only.

In order to continue its work, the Society asks for the balance of

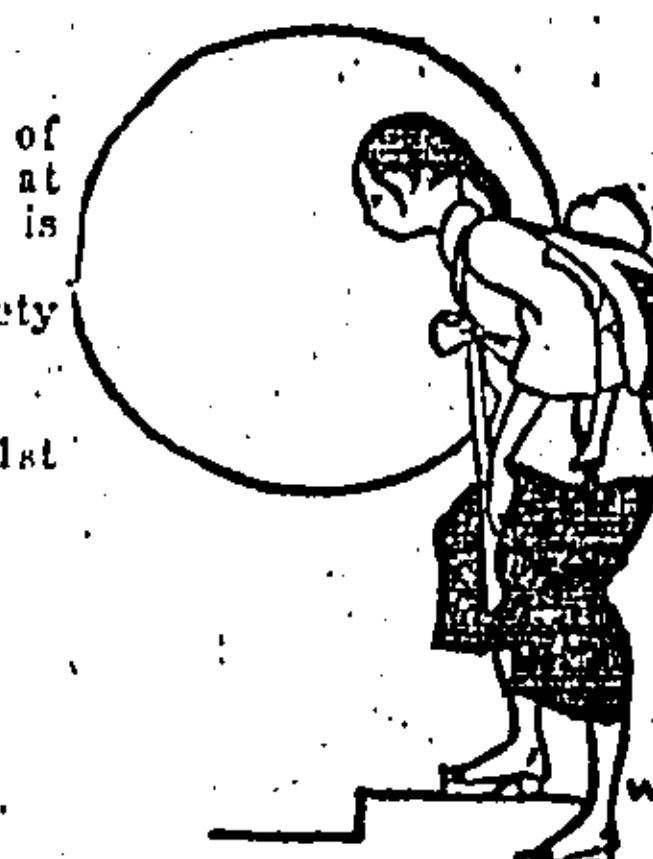
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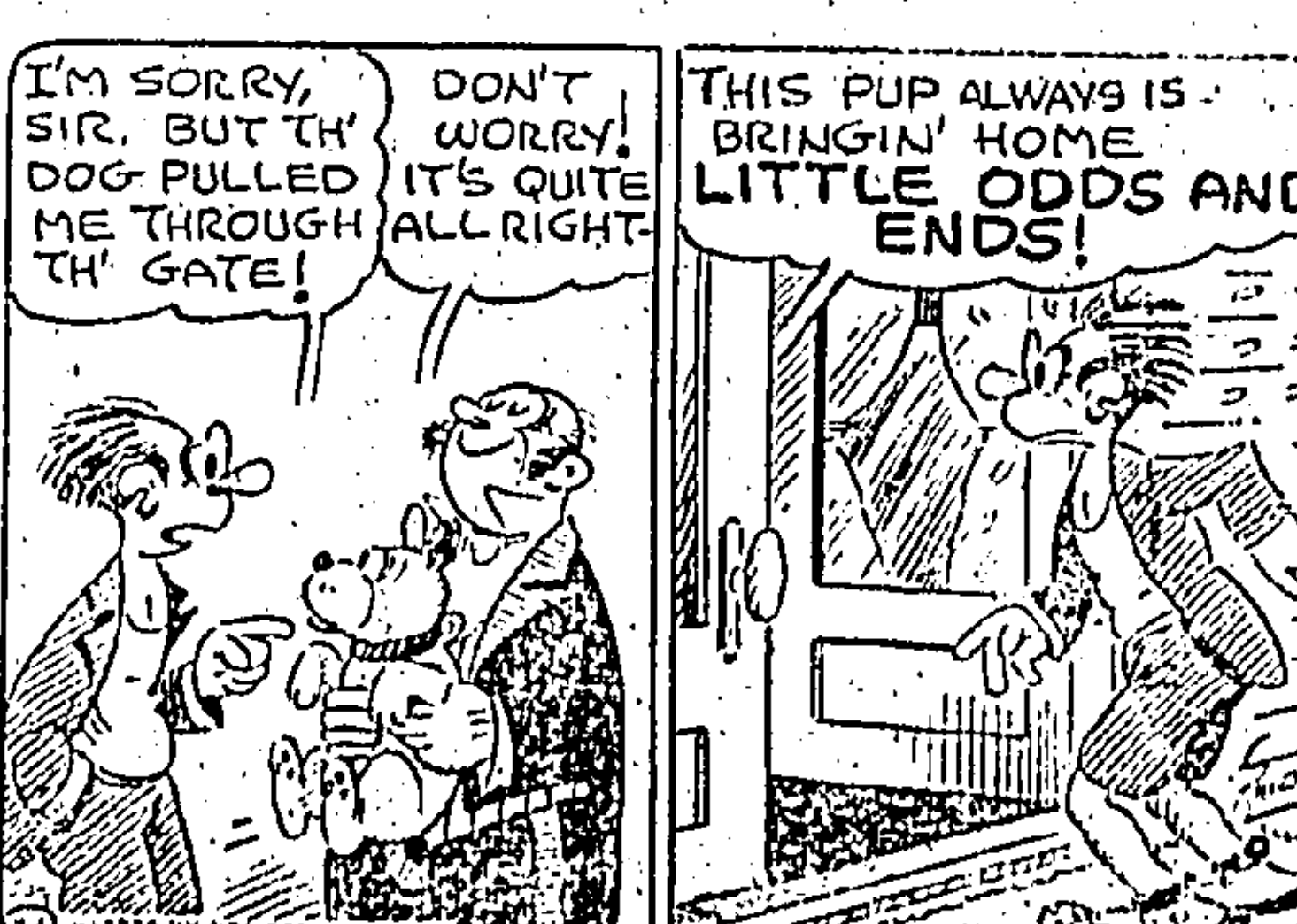
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## SCIENTISTS DESTROY INSECTS TO SAVE MILLIONS

Astonishing Discoveries  
In Pests WarBUTTERFLIES WHICH  
CROSS OCEANSWorms Like English Bees  
Onions Are Mongrels

London, July 4.

**BUTTERFLIES** migrate in much the same way as birds. The idea that a butterfly lives only for a day is a myth. Worms do like onions. To-day's English bees are mongrels. There is no proof that the real British brown bee exists.

A LUNCHEON and tea party for distinguished men in science, agriculture, and industry was given at the Rothamsted Experimental Station to demonstrate these and other scientific discoveries.

They were shown beer and molasses trickling steadily in a spiral down a glass tube in a field.

This experiment may lead to the prevention of insect pests that cost Britain millions of pounds a year.

The bitter-sweet fluid is part of an elaborate trap that the scientists have invented.

Moths and many insects are attracted to the smell. As they land on the liquid to sip it they are electrocuted. Then they are carried down to a container underneath.

Their bodies are collected, put under a microscope, sorted and counted.

## Midge Pest

Already scientists have found they catch many more insects on a dark,

Made Botanical  
Museum  
Of America

Honolulu, Hawaii, July 10.

Joseph F. Rock, who explored all parts of the world and led scientific expeditions into west China and Tibet despite frail health, is returning to the university campus; he made the botanical museum of America.

The University of Hawaii grounds boast trees and plants from almost every part of the world—thanks to the tireless efforts of Rock. These include the African sausage tree, the Indian peepul, rubber and many specimens of rare plants.

A collection as unusual as the trees he gathered will be given to the university by Rock, the announcement of his return said. He is giving to the school's Oriental Institute his rare collection of books on West China and Tibet. It includes several thousand volumes, some of them of great value because they are rare.

Since 1919 when he resigned as botany professor at the University of Hawaii because of delicate health, Rock has been leading expeditions into Tibet and China for universities, geographic societies and museums. United Press.

cloudy night than they do on a clear moonlit night.

By patiently following this and other tests, and then working out complicated statistics, they hope to be able to predict insect pests years ahead.

Then farmers and gardeners will be able to prepare for them and destroy the eggs before the insects are born.

They are hoping that next year will see a peak of the midge pest. Then they will be fairly sure that midges come in waves every fourth year; and that the next wave will be due in 1941.

Another gadget is a box of worms. On top is a glass case divided into sections, each section containing a different kind of field root. They want to see which roots attract the most worms.

So far onions are winning.

## In An Acre

A weird-looking piece of apparatus, also home made, and containing Epsom salts, has revealed that in an acre of matured soil in a fairly warm February there are 106,000,000 insects. In an acre of frozen matured ground there are 10,800,000, and in an acre of frozen unmanured soil 25,600,000.

In the laboratory next to these gadgets a young woman, Mrs. Katherine Grant, sits collecting, filling and cross-indexing evidence from all over the world on the migration of moths and butterflies.

"We have watchers, many of them light-house keepers, all round the coast, looking out for arrivals and departures," she said.

## Migrants

"Painted Ladies and Red Admirals are our most interesting migrants."

"It is now believed that Painted Ladies come from Africa, as so many birds do. They leave Africa in the spring, cross the Mediterranean, and come settle in France."

"Many come on to England, and they have even gone as far as Iceland."

"Cabbage Whites, the common pale yellow butterflies, come from Denmark and Sweden, France, and North Germany."

## Flies The Atlantic

"A flight of Silver Y moths, like a snowstorm, was seen coming into England by the keeper of the Start light-house, South Devon."

"There is evidence that the large American butterfly, the Monarch, which is sometimes found in England, flies the Atlantic."

Out of patiently gathered information of this kind—irrelevant to the lay eye—may arise a remedy that will one day save a vital crop.

Picture Insured  
For £27,000;  
Sold For £3,990.

London, June 26.

A picture entitled "The Woman in Brown," said to have been painted by Titian, hung in the gallery at Petworth, the home of the Earls of Arundel, and was then, nine years ago, insured for £27,000. On Friday it was sold for £3,990 at Knight Frank and Rutley, London. No reason has apparently been given for this decline.

Hired Guards  
To Protect  
Film StarsLONDON PLAN TO STOP  
HOOLIGANISM

By A Film Correspondent

British film companies are considering the employment of hired bodyguards to protect visiting film-stars from physical injury, following the alarming lack of control shown by crowds on the occasion of recent arrivals.

Legitimate enthusiasm in welcoming visiting celebrities, which has always existed, has changed during recent months to virtually uncontrolled hooliganism, and evidence which has been collected confirms the existence of one or more organised gangs.

Nor does the "welcome" stop short after the day of arrival. Cyclists, sometimes 50 or more, follow "stars" whenever they leave their hotel, and pursue them about London and even into the country.

These people are not content with a single autograph, for a system of exchange has been set up for selling the signatures obtained. Signatures have both an exchange and a cash value, one "Miriam Hopkins" for example, being equivalent to four or five of a less popular "star". Prices for each range from about 1s. to 2s. 6d. at current rates, though an extremely rare specimen may fetch 5s.

MISS SIDNEY'S "RECEPTION" When Sylvia Sidney arrived, a month ago, a shouting crowd bore down on her and pinned her to the side of the train. She was with difficulty prevented from falling between the train and the platform. Her hatbag was crushed flat in the melee, and her clothes torn. Buttons and other fragments are apparently treasured as souvenirs.

Grace Moore, who was unable to leave her carriage for a quarter of an hour when she arrived, was compelled to make an appeal to the crowd before she could pass. Miriam Hopkins, who arrived a few weeks back, was twice driven to changing her hotel, and has finally retired to a private address.

"Two hours before Miss Moore left the boat at Harwich the crowd began to assemble in front of Claridge's, although the hotel at which she was to stay had not been announced," a hotel official said.

"We have great difficulty in keeping people away from the doors, and frequently have to smother 'stars' out by back exits, particularly on Sundays, when crowds assemble to see whoever there may be to see."

The Whole World  
Invests in the  
United StatesBritish Money Pours  
Across Atlantic

Washington, July 1.

United States Department of Commerce compilation of investments in the United States by residents of foreign countries showed total long-term holdings of \$5,035,000,000, of which residents in Latin American countries held only \$43,000,000.

The fact that residents of the southern republics hold only nine-tenths of 1 per cent. of the total was authoritatively but unofficially commented as indicating that the southern continent is still predominantly a borrowing region, which has little capital for export, and is likely for some time to remain in that category.

The official summary of the foreign investment situation at the end of 1935 showed that the \$43,000,000 of Latin American investments in this country comprised about \$5,000,000 in direct investments, \$19,000,000 in common stocks (market value) \$3,000,000 in preferred stocks, \$8,000,000 in bonds, and \$8,000,000 in other investments.

UP AND UP  
AND UP

MISS NELLIE SHERIDAN, formerly a Sydney shopgirl, has just been discovered as the possessor of a phenomenal vocal range, higher than any soprano of musical history.

She is only 19, and she has been quietly training her voice for five years. She can now sing a range of three octaves and a half, her top note being D, an octave and one above the C in alt. She can descend to the B below the middle C.

Her top register is one tone above that of the Italian soprano, Lucrezia Agujara, who, in Mozart's time sang brilliantly up to the C, and was the rage of stage and platform. Musical historians have always acclaimed her as possessing the highest voice ever known.

Miss Sheridan, according to *Austral News*, can sing four notes higher than Miss Lily Pons and five notes higher than Miss Mela. In the presence of a Sydney throat specialist and vocal experts, she sang two songs, the highest notes of which were F and A flat above the C in alt.

The specialist reported that her resonating chambers were particularly well formed and her vocal cords very strong. Her breath control was extraordinarily good.

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## AIR RIVALRY

Los Angeles, California,

July 1.

Work has begun at the Douglas plant upon a revolutionary 40-passenger sky giant, twice as big as the China Clipper, upon which five airlines are gambling \$480,000.

The huge plane is scheduled to be ready to take the air by Jan. 1, 1938. It will weigh 50 tons compared to the ocean-going Clipper's 26. Staterooms will be larger than those of Pullman cars.

The ship will be able to cruise 225 miles an hour with only 60 per cent. of its power. Engineers count upon this surplus to enable the giant to maintain high speed against storms and headwinds, and keep rigid railroad time schedules.

Five air-lines joined in a contract covering the cost of the first experimental plane. Aviation experts believe if the airliner is a success, orders will come in for at least 60 more, costing some \$12,000,000 each.

Twenty-five more of the huge ships will be built immediately if the experimental plane is a success. Five planes each, in the order named, will be delivered to United Air Lines, TWA, American Air Lines, Eastern Air Lines, and Pan-American Airways. By agreement, none will be put into service until all have been delivered.

A survey of present routes indicates, it was said, that United Air Lines and TWA will require five additional planes each after delivery of the first 25.

European air lines are counted on tentatively for orders for twenty five more.—United Press.

The geographical distribution of other foreign holdings here revealed total British investments in the United States of \$1,374,000,000 or about 27 per cent. of all foreign investments in this country. Canada was second as a long-term creditor of the United States with investment interest here of about \$1,000,000,000; Netherlands ranked next with total holdings of nearly \$800,000,000; Switzerland and France followed with long-term investments here of \$399,000,000 and \$282,000,000.

These five countries hold slightly more than 76 per cent. of all foreign-owned investments in the United States.

The Department of Commerce did not officially analyze by countries or comment on the Latin American investments here, but United Press made independent inquiries which indicated that Mexico, Cuba, and Argentina are the most important countries in that field.

## S. AMERICA INVESTS

A considerable part of the \$19,000,000 in American common stocks and \$8,000,000 in bonds owned in Latin America probably represents the investment of United States citizens or companies resident in the southern republics. Packing companies in the La Plata and Mining companies in Peru and Chile probably have such investments here.

Latin American direct investments of about \$5,000,000 in the United States are believed to be comprised largely of investments by Mexicans or Cubans. Some of the Mexican investment probably would be in mining or other enterprises along the frontier, while Cubans are believed to have investments in American tobacco manufacturing enterprise.

Information is unavailable here as to relative volume of Latin American investments in Europe and the United States. There is believed to be considerable Argentine and Brazilian investment in European bonds and stocks. Mexico and Brazil are thought to have considerable investments in Canada.

## ENORMOUS TOTAL

The commercial and industrial distribution of foreign investments by residents of all foreign countries in the United States, as of December 31, 1935, was reported by Department of Commerce as follows:

Total, \$5,035,000,000.  
Manufacturing \$1,696,000,000 or 33.7 per cent. of total; retail and wholesale distribution \$1,420,000,000 or 28.2 per cent. of total; railroads and other transportation, \$777,000,000 or 15.4 per cent. of total; utilities \$601,000,000 or 11.9 per cent. of total; mining, including petroleum, \$567,000,000 or 11.3 per cent. of total; finance \$442,000,000 or 8.8 per cent. of total; miscellaneous, \$810,000,000 or 16.1 per cent. of total.—United Press.

AMERICA FINDS  
SEA SERPENT

Aberdeen, Wash., July 7.

A 12 foot, 1,800 pound "sea serpent," resembling in appearance the reconstruction skeletons of prehistoric monsters, is being examined by D. W. Black, Baltimore zoologist, and two assistants, in an effort to determine its species.

The monster was cast upon the beach near here and was said by many to resemble the creature found at Prince Rupert, B.C., a year and a half ago, and finally identified as a Basker shark.

The serpent has a head which resembles that of a goat, teeth like those of a dog and eyes eight inches apart. The body tapers, ending in a muscular like tail, four feet long.—United Press.



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IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that an Interim Dividend of £2.10/- per share, subject to deduction of Income Tax, has been declared for the HALF YEAR ending 30th June, 1936, at rate of 1/3.5/16 per Dollar.

THE DIVIDEND will be payable on and after 10th August, 1936, at the offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

THE REGISTER OF SHARES of the Corporation will be closed from 27th JULY, to 8th AUGUST (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS,

V. M. GRAYBURN,  
CHIEF MANAGER.  
Hongkong, 7th July, 1936.

## EXCHANGE

Selling	
T.T. Demand	1/3 1/2
T.T. Shanghai	106 1/2
T.T. Singapore	54 1/2
T.T. Japan	109 1/2
T.T. India	84 1/2
T.T. San Francisco & New York	32 1/2
T.T. Manila	64 1/2
T.T. Batavia	103 1/2
T.T. Bangkok	14 1/2
T.T. Saigon	40 1/2
T.T. France	4.84
T.T. Germany	7.94
T.T. Switzerland	87 1/2
T.T. Australia	1.77
T.T. Lisbon	6.86
Buying	
4 m/s. L/C. London	1/3 1/2
4 m/s. D/P. London	1/3 1/2
4 m/s. L/C. U.S.A.	5.29
4 m/s. France	5.29
30 d/s. India	86 1/2
U.S. Cross rate in London	5.02 1/2

## EXCHANGE RATES

	July 10	July 13
Paris	76.1/64	75.61/64
Geneva	15.38 1/2	15.36 1/2
Berlin	12.46	12.46
Athens	527	527
Milan	63 1/2	63 1/2
Oslo	10.80	10.80
Shanghai	1/2.13/32	1/2.13/32
New York	5.02 1/2	5.02 1/2
Amsterdam	7.38 1/2	7.38 1/2
Vienna	26 1/2	26 1/2
Prague	121	121
Madrid	36 1/2	36 1/2
Lisbon	110 1/2	110 1/2
Hongkong	1/3 1/2	1/3 1/2
Dombay	1/6 1/2	1/6 1/2
Brussels	20.72	20.71 1/2
Montreal	5.03 1/2	5.03 1/2
Monte Video	30 1/2	30 1/2
Belgrade	219	220
Yokohama	1/2.12/32	1/2.12/32
Silver (forward)	10 1/2	10 1/2
Silver (Spot)	10 1/2	10 1/2
War Loan	100 1/2	100 1/2

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## THE HONG KONG TELEGRAPH SIXTH ANNUAL Amateur Photographic Competition

June—August, 1936.

Details have been unavoidably crowded out of this edition but the list of rules and Entry Form are printed below.

## READ THE RULES CAREFULLY.

- The Competition is confined exclusively to amateur photographers.
- Pictures submitted in duplicate should be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white.
- The Prize will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are judged to be the best photographs in each Section. Each entry must be accompanied by a form which will be published daily during the period of the Competition.
- The right to publish any or all of the entries in the Telegraph is reserved.
- Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions are ineligible.
- At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at this Office within seven days.
- No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.
- Photographs must not be less than Postcard size (extending to the Children's Section) and the entry form should be lightly pasted on the back.
- No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name and address of a parent, entry form countersigned by a parent.
- No employee or member of any firm in the photographic trade is permitted to compete.
- Members of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.
- The decision of the Judges shall be final.

## Entry Form

SECTION	NAME	ADDRESS	DATE
NAME			
ADDRESS			
DATE			

Please use block letters and paste each entry. If entered in Children's Section, parent please countersign here.

NEW YORK STOCK  
EXCHANGEMARKET UPWARD  
YESTERDAY

New York, July 13.  
Swan, Culbertson & Fritz Dow Jones summary of yesterday's market: The market-to-day was irregularly higher and the turnover was moderate. Prices advanced early in the session, but met with some resistance when the industrial and railroad averages came within small fractions of the year's high levels. Trading then became lighter, but there was no particular pressure in any section of the market. Railroad stocks, early in the day, were favorites. Mercantile, silver, tobacco, amusement and railroad securities advanced. The market for bonds was higher, led by railroad issues. Stocks on the Curb Exchange were irregularly higher.

Stocks: The market, especially railroad issues, acted well and prices looked likely to move higher. Traders were cheered by the seasonally favorable business news and a definite improvement in the drought situation. The Times Business Index for the past week is 102.1 as against the revised figure of 99.8 the previous week and 81.8 during the corresponding week of last year. This week's figure is the highest since April, 1930. The labor disturbance at the Canada plant of the Radio Corporation has been tentatively settled.

Cotton: There was some profit-taking on reactions, but contracts were not plentiful. "Spots" are firm. A larger June consumption is expected. There have been some beneficial rains in the drought section. The market looks irregularly higher. Wheat: Apparently the situation in the North-West has but little changed. The showings have been insufficient and temperatures are again high. The visible supply of wheat here shows an increase of 6,577,000 bushels. Reports from Canada are contradictory, both with regard to weather conditions and the crop. Some authorities estimate the crop at 275,000,000 bushels, whilst Snow & Company expect a Canadian yield of 225,000,000 bushels. We expect irregularity, pending clarification with regard to the crop. Relief has failed to materialize and temperatures are again high.

Rubber: The anticipated high consumption figures are now apparently discounted and a new incentive is needed. The English stocks of rubber have decreased by 1,762 tons.

Hides: The market is steadier on expected drought relief, which, however, is not yet in evidence.

S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment: "Automobile accessories companies are likely to increase their dividends this year. The boom in commodities is again raising the hopes of inflationists. Business is at present very strong. Many observers predict higher markets this week. The earnings of the Douglas Aircraft Corporation should progressively improve during the balance of this year. The earnings of the Western Union, which were published after the close of the market on Saturday, are somewhat disappointing."

## REUTERS QUOTATIONS

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## PENSION FOR WIDOW

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Miriam Hopkins appears in "Splendor," which opens at the King's Theatre to-morrow.

LONDON STOCK  
EXCHANGEYESTERDAY'S CABLED  
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Chinese 5 % Loan	73 1/2	73 1/2
Chinese 5 % Reorg.	86	86
Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	80	80
Chinese Imperial	52	52
Hongkong Ry. 5 %	44	44
Hukang Ry. 5 %	29	29
1911 5 %	69	69
Lung Tai Ry. 5 %	42	42
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S'hai Nanking Ry. 5 %	41	41
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Chartered Bank of I.A. & C.	101	101
H.K. & S'hai "Bling. Corp.	11/8	11/8
(Lnd. Regd.)	11/8	11/8
Chinese Engineering and Mining (bearer)	11/8	11/8
Chosen Corp.	2/10 1/2	2/9
Pekin Syndicate	44/-	44/-
Shai Electric Construction Co.	33 1/2	33 1/2
Shai Waterworks	32 1/2	32 1/2
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Austin Motors, ord	116/10 1/2	116/10 1/2
Boots Pure Drug	13/0	13/10 1/2
Brit-Am. Tob.	24/7 1/2	23/10 1/2
(bearer)	102/-	102/-
Cammell, Laird, and	34/6	34/4 1/2
Mexican Eagle	77/0	77/0
Courtaulds	156/6	156/3
Distillers	28/4 1/2	28/6
Dunlop Rubber	34/6	34/4 1/2
General Electric (England)	77/0	77/0
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	156/6	156/3
Hawker Aircraft	28/4 1/2	28/6
Bristol Aeroplane	34/6	34/4 1/2
Imperial Chemical Industries	36/10 1/2	36/10 1/2
Imperial Tobacco	160/4 1/2	160/4 1/2
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	86/3	85/7 1/2
O.K. Bazaars	47/0	47/3
Rolls Royce	172/8	172/6
Tate & Lyle	89/6	89/0
Turner & Newall	91/0	92/-
United Steel	32/3	32/7 1/2
Vickers, ord.	29/6	30/-
Woolworths	136/3	136/0
Anglo-Dutch Rubber Plantation	28/0	28/4 1/2
Trust	32/10 1/2	33/-
Burma Corp.	9/7 1/2	9/9
C.M. Manganese Investments	9/0	9/6
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## SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

Banks.	
H.K. Banks, \$1,582 1/2 ss.	
H. K. Banks (Lon. Reg.)	
£101 n.	
Chartered Bank, \$14 1/2 n.	
Mercantile Bank, A. and B.	
£21 n.	
Mercantile Bank, C., \$14 n.	
East Asia Bank, \$73 n.	
Insurance.	
Canton Ins., \$255 n.	
Union Ins., \$255 n.	
China Underwriters, \$100 n.	
China Fire, \$462 n.	
H. K. Fire, \$250 n.	
Internat'l Assur., Sh. \$30 1/2 n.	
Shipping.	
Douglas, \$36 n.	
H.K. Steamboats, \$2.25 b.	
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.), \$30 n.	
Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$20 n.	
Shell (Bearer), 96 3/4 n.	
Union Waterboats, \$12 s.	
Docks etc.	
H.K. Wharves (old), \$87 n.	
H.K. & W. Docks, \$103 1/2 b.	
Providents (old), \$1.05 n.	
Providents (new), 20 cts. n.	
Hongkong (old), Sh. \$185 n.	
New Engineering, Sh. \$4 n.	
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$100 n.	
Mining.	
Kailan, 11/6 n.	
Lungkai (Single), \$8 n.	
Shui Exploitation, Sh. \$4 1/2 n.	
Shai Loo, Sh. \$4 n.	
Rauha, 10.25 n.	
Venz Goldfield, \$4 1/2 b.	
Antonioks, \$5 b.	
Atoka, 90 cts. n.	
Baguio Gold, 40 cts. b.	
Batuks, \$22 1/2 b.	
Benguet Consolidated, \$19.10 ss.	
Benguet Exp., 32 cts. b.	
Big Wedge, 65 cts. n.	
Consolidated Mines, 5 cts. b.	
Demonstration, \$1.55 ss.	
Ipo Gold, 31 cts. n.	
Rogons, \$1.92 n.	
I. X. L., \$3 b.	
Masbate, 93/96 cts. ss.	
Northern Mining, \$45/43 1/2 cts. ss.	
Paralelo Gumaus, 65 cts. ss.	
Salacot, 12 cts. n.	
San Mauricio, \$1.40 n.	
Suyo Consols, 54 cts. n.	
United Paralelo, \$1.55 1/2/40 ss.	
Lands, Hotels, etc.	
H. and S. Hotels, \$4.40 b.	
H.K. Lands, \$29 1/2 n.	
H.K. Lands, 4% Deben.	
\$100 b.	
Shai Lands, Sh. \$13 n.	
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$10 n.	
Humphries, \$3.55 n.	
H. K. Realities, \$4 1/2 n.	
Chinese Estates, \$80 n.	
China Realities, Sh. \$4 n.	
China Debentures, Sh. \$60 n.	
Public Utilities.	
H.K. Tramways, \$10.75 b.	
Peak Trams, (old), \$6 1/2 n.	
Peak Trams, (new), \$2 1/2 n.	
Star Ferries, \$85 1/2 n.	
Yauwatt Ferries, (old) \$20 n.	
China Lights, \$10.50 n.	
China Light, (new), \$7.60 n.	
H.K. Electric, \$50 b.	
Macao Electric, \$18.75 n.	
Sandakan Lights, \$8.30 n.	
Telephone (old), \$25.50 b.	
Telephone (new) \$8 1/2 n.	
China Buses, Sh. \$11 1/2 n.	
Singapore Tractions, 32/6 b.	
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## ARABS' AMBUSH TRAPPED

**SURROUNDED BY BRITISH TROOPS SEVEN KILLED IN FIGHT**

Jerusalem, July 13. British troops turned the tables on Arab insurgents to-day, when they surrounded a party attempting to ambush a party of British soldiers. The Arabs had opened fire on a body of men of the Royal Corps of Signals, which was engaged in repairing telephone wires near Jenin. The terrorists' rifle shots were heard by troops who rushed to the scene in force and surrounded the ambush, seven of whom were killed in the succeeding fight. —*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

### LEBANON RIOTS

Paris, July 13. The newspaper *Le Soir* reports that nine were seriously wounded yesterday in three riots in Sidon, in Lebanon. The report adds that reinforcements rushed to the scene re-established order after the gendarmes who had gone to the assistance of the local police had been forced to retire. —*United Press.*

## DIRECTORS CUT OWN FEES

**SHANGHAI GOLD BAR EXCHANGE MOVE**

Shanghai, July 14. By a recent decision of directors of the Gold Bar Exchange, directors' fees have been reduced by fifty per cent, and staff salaries by thirty per cent. It has also been decided that charges for gold bar transactions will be raised to twenty cents per bar, effective to-morrow, instead of the 4.25 cents charged hitherto. —*Reuter.*

### FLOATING DRYDOCK

Washington, July 13. The Navy Department has called for bids for the construction of a steel floating drydock 1,012 feet in length and 165 feet in width, capable of handling the largest warships at the Pearl Harbor base. —*United Press.*

## SOUTH-WEST MAY ATTACK IMMEDIATELY

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provenient this morning. —*Reuter Special.*

### Won't Accept

Canton, July 14. An official spokesman of the Fourth Army Headquarters told the *United Press* this morning that it was generally thought that Mr. Huang Shao-hung, Chairman of Chekiang province, would not accept the post of Pacification Commissioner in Kwangsi.

The possibility of his refusing is based upon the fact that he is a professional close friend of Marshal Li Ching-jen. —*United Press.*

### Riding A Tiger

Nanking, July 14. The indications that General Chai Chong-will might have blasted Nanking's optimism regarding a peaceful settlement, but have not impaired the leaders' confidence. In an early and successful conclusion of the issue.

Officials here consider the South-west league a riding a tiger, from which it will be dangerous to dismount, and that there is a losing race. —*United Press.*

## NEW BARRISTER ADMITTED

**SON OF FORMER CANTON JUDGE**

Mr. Wing-kun Loo, son of a former Chief Justice of Canton, was admitted to the Hongkong bar, at the Supreme Court this morning.

The application for his admission was made by the Attorney General (Hon. Mr. C. G. Aldrich) who said that Mr. Loo was called to the bar in London and was the eldest son of Mr. Hing-yun Loo, barrister-at-law in the Inner Temple, London, and formerly President of the Shanghai Provincial Court and Chief Justice of the Canton Supreme Court.

In his affidavit, Mr. Loo said he was a graduate of the Lingnam University, Canton, and a member of the Upper Bar of Gray's Inn, London.

The Chief Justice (Sir Athol MacGregor) said it gave him much pleasure to accede to the petition and to approve of Mr. Loo's admission to the local bar.

"You have chosen the best of all professions," he said to Mr. Loo, "and I am sure that you will find that your work is always full of interest. I hope you will always be very successful and happy in your future career."

"I also trust that you will emulate the example of your father and attain the heights to which his merits very properly raised him."

## BODY DUMPED IN ALLEY

**KOWLOON BARBER FINED**

Detective Inspector A. H. Elston prosecuted in a case this morning at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court before Mr. E. Hunsworth in which three men Ng Hop Sang, 64, a barber living at 950 Canton Road, and his two assistants, Yau Kiu, 26, and Pun Shui, 27, were charged with the removal of a dead body from their premises without the written sanction of the Registrar of Births and Deaths in Kowloon.

Detective Inspector A. H. Elston stated that Cheung Ching, a relative of the defendant, had been living at the barber shop, situated at 950 Canton Road, having been given the right to stay there until he could find work. At 6 o'clock yesterday morning defendant found that Cheung had died during the night of tuberculosis. In his haste to rid his shop of the body, he found what he thought was a suitable place in a near-by alley and left the deceased there to be found and taken away by the police.

His Worship expressed the opinion that this was a very serious offence, but was reminded that many such cases as this had occurred in which the body was not left in the open to be found by the police but taken to the hills and hidden there in an effort to evade detection. In this case, it was stated by the prosecution, it would be more advisable to impose a fine than it would be to pass a prison sentence.

His Worship sentenced the first defendant to a fine of \$5 and dismissed the charges against the other two men as they were only assistants obeying orders from their employer.

## APPRECIATION OF SERVICE

**ADMIRALTY MESSAGE TO H.M. SHIPS**

London, July 13. The Board of Admiralty has sent a message expressing its high appreciation of the services rendered by officers and men of His Majesty's ships which have been stationed in the Mediterranean and Red Sea waters for the past ten months on "duty which has been arduous and involved much hardship."

The Board also sent a message of appreciation to the Australian and New Zealand Navy Boards of services rendered by officers and men of the Royal Australian Navy and New Zealand Division whilst detached for duty in the Mediterranean and Red Sea. These ships, the Board declared, brought a valuable access of strength to the naval forces in those waters. —*British Wireless.*

## FRENCH HOLIDAY MARKED

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Seventh, the promoter of that Entente Cordiale, which proved so beneficial to both our countries and to the world; and, then, King George V, who, for more than a quarter of a century, during peace as during war, was, for France, the most faithful friend, the most loyal ally; and, now, King Edward VIII who, whether on studies, or on leisure, or on military duty, has spent so much of his time in our country that we confidently believe that His Majesty has sympathy for her because he knows her under each one of her different, and may be disconcerting aspects, from the silent patience of her peasants to the acuteness of mind of her thinkers, from the traditional love for the *bon de Dieu* to the total gift of oneself which sends so many of her sons and daughters into the missionary career; from the alleged frivolity of the man in the street to the burning patriotism of the man in the trenches, the French want to see that world inspired by two great principles. First, the French want peace, peace, peace for them, peace for others, peace with justice and honour, and are but too glad to shake hands with every loyal nation. But, with their usual logic, willing peace, they also demand peace of means of peace, not peace without a Court, nor a Court without a law. That their concrete proposals to that end have not always met with success should be their reason, not to cease their efforts but to redouble them.

Secondly, to the one hundred millions of men sheltering under her tricolour, France intends to be, not simply a ruler, but a mother, being not satisfied with a mere improvement of their material standard of life, but aiming at an increase of their intellectual and moral value, because in each human body, without distinction of origin, race, class or creed, she discerns a divine soul, because from each spark, she will ever try to flash a spark.

So far as the French citizens are concerned, they were called this year to show which way they intended to follow for fulfilling their destinies, by an ever-renewed majority, they decided to keep faithful to their forefathers, and to stand by democracy and liberty. If some of their foreign friends disagree on the wisdom of their choice, how many more will give them a warm approval, and in the first rank of these, their British friends, that lucky country where Royalty gives a splendid example of devotion to duty, of understanding interest and practical love for the humblest and poorest subjects, who are the public liberties, is their strongest guarantor. Such kings do not possess any bastille, but, for them, history has to record no fourteenth of July.

Therefore, it is with sincerity that, on their National Day, the Day of Democracy, the French community of Hongkong, being the guests of Old England in this beautiful Colony, remembering with pride and gratitude the common work of the past, looking with hope and confidence towards the common work of the future, propose now to this distinguished gathering the health of, if I may venture to use that expression, the First Democrat of Great Britain.

Your Excellencies, Ladies and Gentlemen: the King.

The orchestra played the National Anthem and the toast was drunk with acclamation.

In reply His Excellency the Governor proposed the health of the President of the Republic in the following terms: Your Excellencies, ladies and gentlemen, on behalf of all my countrymen in Hongkong, I tender to our French friends in this Colony our sincere and warm felicitations on their Fete Nationale; and on behalf of all his guests present here, this morning thank you kind host most warmly for this opportunity of doing, the happy occasion so enjoyably. Time will not admit of my attempting here even in summary an account of all that France and Britain have contributed jointly (whether in hostility or alliance, in competition or collaboration) to the work of history; but, as the chapters are well known to us all and contain deeds and achievements to which both our great Nations now look back with common pride; fast friends to-day we may truly be said to share our glorious past. But I do want to take this occasion to acknowledge a very present debt of gratitude which the people of our British Eastern Colonies owe (and, I hope, will always continue to owe) to France. I allude to the wonderful work performed in Hongkong and Malaya by the French Convents and the Little Sisters of the Poor. It is a matter of great gratification to my wife that one of her first privileges after arrival has been a visit of inspection to the French Convent here in Victoria. The only room at Government House is, not the Union Flag of Britain, masted on the roof above me, but the Tricolour of France flying from this Consulate; and as I see it every morning my thoughts gratefully go out to the great work which is being done in our midst by those noble Frenchwomen who serve the community as Sisters of the Convent or Little Sisters of the Poor. I ask you, Ladies and Gentlemen, to remember them especially when you honour the toast which it is now my proud privilege to propose: "The President of the French Republic."

The toast was drunk with applause. This concluded the official part of the proceedings but the guests enjoyed the hospitality of their host for some time before making their departure.

### SANCTIONS LIFTED

Lisbon, July 14. A decree to-day announced that Portugal is lifting sanctions against Italy on July 15. —*Reuter.*

## BANK DEPOSIT DISPUTE

**NATIONAL CITY BANK SUCCEEDS**

Holding that a bank did not clothe a clerk with ostensible authority to receive money by putting him behind a counter, the Acting Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Hayden) found for the National City Bank of New York when he delivered reserved judgment in a Summary Court action to-day.

Plaintiff was Fung Kuei-ho, who claimed he was illiterate and unable even to sign his name. He sought to recover from the Bank and Lai Shu-chow, formerly a clerk employed by the bank, \$1,700 which he alleged was the balance of two sums deposited by him in 1927.

Lai, who is alleged to have absconded, did not defend the action. Judgment against him was entered. Reviewing the evidence in his judgment, Mr. Justice Hayden said that plaintiff had stated he was 65 years of age, but had emigrated to Canada, where for 20 years he carried on business as a tinsmith and accumulated certain money which he remitted to Hongkong. Returning to Hongkong in 1927, he withdrew his money and deposited it with the National City Bank on fixed deposit.

Later he became acquainted with defendant and the money he withdrew from fixed deposit and lodged in the Savings Bank. This was done and for a few years plaintiff drew annual interest as well as withdrawing some of the principal.

On December 31, 1935, plaintiff said he went to the bank intending to withdraw all his money but was told by Lai that there was none to his credit. He thereupon consulted solicitors.

The Bank's defence was that Lai had no authority to receive money. Mr. Justice Hayden found that Lai had misappropriated the original sums lodged by the plaintiff and had paid the interest and withdrawals from his own money so that plaintiff should not discover the fraud.

"There is no evidence," he said, "that the bank held out Lai as being invested with authority to receive money and I am satisfied that any clerk which a bank puts behind its counter is not clothed with ostensible authority to receive money on behalf of the bank. Were it otherwise it would put a premium on dishonesty and it would require little ingenuity for a dishonest clerk and an unscrupulous customer to conspire together to defraud the bank."

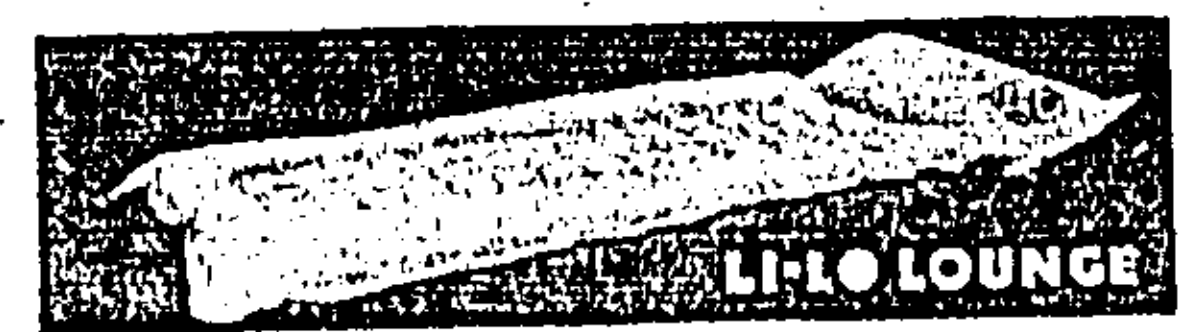
In giving judgment against Lai, Mr. Justice Hayden said that as he had apparently absconded and did not defend the case, plaintiff's evidence had to be accepted. He found that Lai had received plaintiff's money and had applied it to his own use.

Mr. Justice Hayden ordered that the Bank was entitled to deduct the taxed costs of both actions from the money in the Bank's hands belonging to Lai in respect of his provident fund before being called on to receive for it.

Mr. M. C. McCallum appeared for plaintiff and Mr. J. T. Prior for the Bank.

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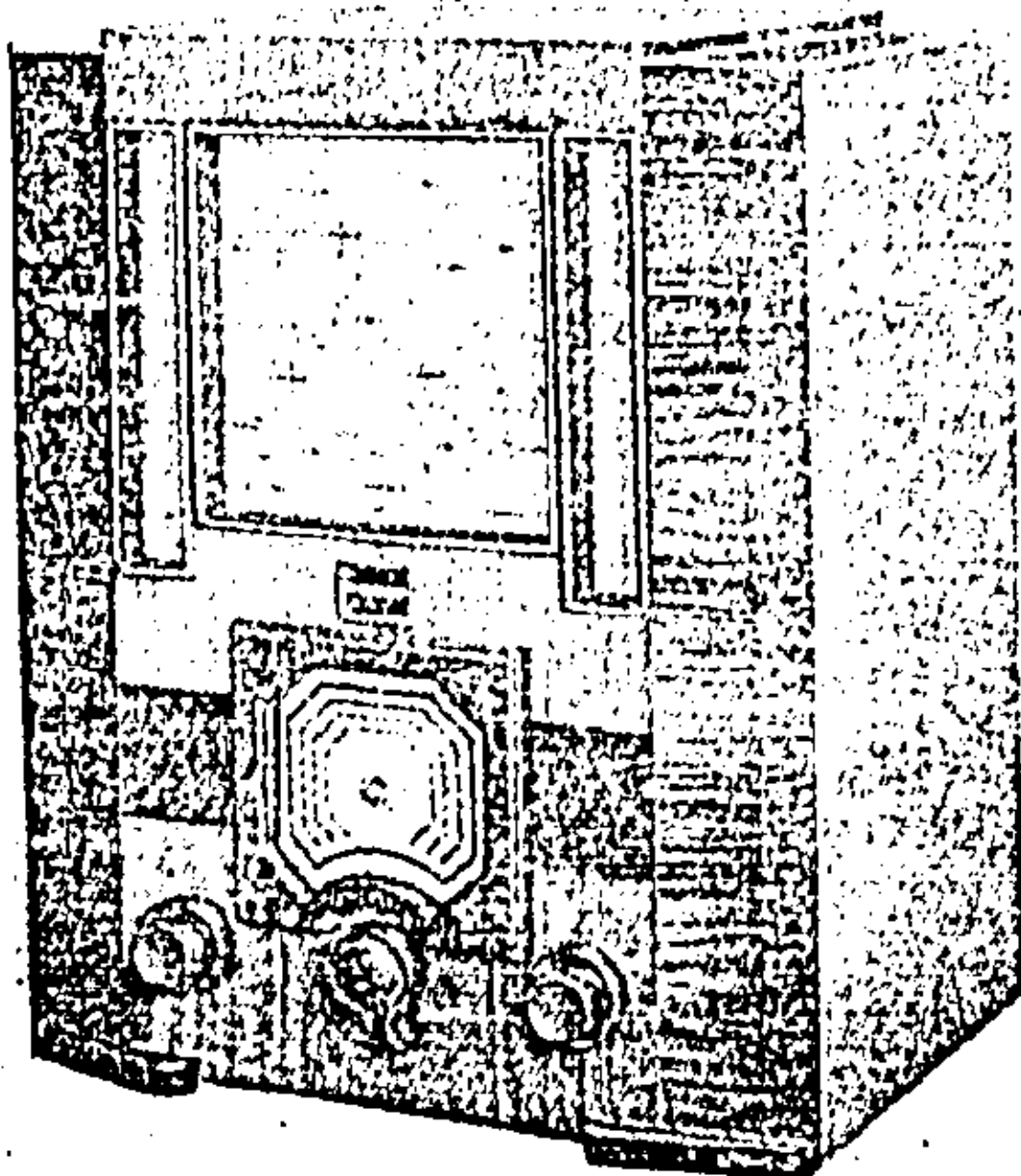
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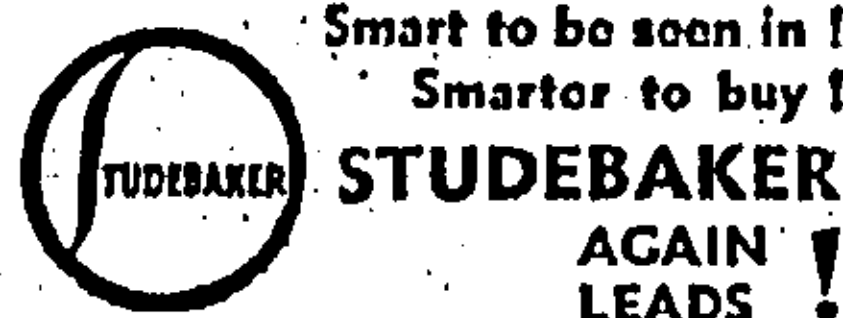
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THE  
AUSTRO-GERMAN  
ACCORD

Whilst the Austro-German agreement has, on the whole, been favourably received in Europe, it is somewhat early in the day as yet to estimate its full implications. There must, therefore, be a tendency to suspend judgment until the situation becomes clarified. Taken at its face value, the new accord would seem to amount to little more than a long overdue regularisation of relations between Germany and Austria, but when we bear in mind Italy's position as virtual protector of Austrian independence, the agreement may have other and more significant aspects. Whether the move will mean a revival of the Triple Alliance remains to be seen. A thought which at once suggests itself in this connection is that the old-time Triple Alliance proved a broken reed to Germany in the Great War, although it must be conceded that the Italy of to-day is not the Italy of pre-war times. As to Italy's part in the future developments, it is of interest to note reports which were recently current to the effect that Mussolini is believed to be behind the movement or the restoration of the Hapsburgs. These reports stated that the Duce informed Dr. Schuschnigg, at their recent meeting, that he wished to act as "mediator" between the Austrian Government and the moderate Nazis, both Austrian and German. He was said to have promised the Austrian Chancellor that Italy would continue to uphold the political independence of Austria, but to have emphasised the necessity of a relaxation of the tension between Berlin and Vienna. This move has been interpreted as part of the campaign by Mussolini for a new line-up in Central Europe which would remove the German "threat" to the Brenner frontier and leave Italy a freer hand for negotiations with Britain and France. That a Hapsburg restoration would fit in well with Mussolini's plans seems proved by an authoritative statement by one of the leading Austrian legitimists, who stated that "it will be the first task of the Austrian Government after the restoration to bring about, first, an appeasement of the Little Entente by a solemn promise that the Austrian Monarchy has no desire to recover the lost territories of the former Austro-Hungarian Empire, and, secondly, to secure an economic and political rapprochement with Germany." These developments are of peculiar interest at this moment. What Berlin would think of the restoration of the Hapsburgs has not thus far been disclosed. This, however, is only one angle of a somewhat complicated situation, from which the most definite indication emerging is that

THE Abyssinian Empire is in ruins.

The League of Nations, which persuaded Haile Selassie to reject all overtures of peace while he still had an army to back his bargaining power, and then chattered "collective security" while Badoglio bombed and gassed his way to Addis Ababa—that League, too, is coming to pieces.

So now comes a flood of inspired talk about a new League, they call it a "Reformed" League (much as people speak of a reformed drunkard). There is a certain kind of honest shame in this hurry to create a fresh League of Nations. It would be painful if, when the old one was next discussing sanctions at Geneva, Ex-Emperor Haile Selassie should turn up to listen.

IN WHAT FORM IS IT proposed to raise this new League from the ashes of the old?

Talks of bringing Japan back takes no account of Japan's urgent troubles in the Far East. They are troubles not likely to be solved inside an institution dominated by Western Powers.

The idea of including the United States in a new world League looks like being an entirely European affair. Indeed, the primary desire of many who are moving in the matter is to bring Germany back within the fold—even at the cost of seeing the Soviet Union walk out.

Now, if this conception of a European Concert makes root, Britain will be expected to sustain and support it in the fullest degree. The propaganda in its favour will be attractive. Why, the speeches about the imperishable and indivisible heritage of European culture and civilisation will be heard.

Better examine where are the realities of politics that this ideal involves. If the new League is to command general support on the Continent, it must be on the basis of giving mutual defence against aggression. It must mean that existing frontiers shall be maintained, and that the members of the League, or any rate, that these frontiers shall be changed only by consent.

Do you think that is a possible basis for peace in Europe? In the heart of Europe dwell a proud, strong, valiant, and highly intelligent race. They are organised and regimented beyond any parallel in history, under the iron regime of men who know what they want and have given abundant proof that they mean to get it.

The mighty German nation now numbers 63,000,000 people. They are increasing at the rate of 900,000 every year. And beyond the frontiers of the German Reich it is claimed that another 15,351,000 are to be found in neighbouring countries. The citizens of Germany have come to believe that the entire number of these exiles will, within an innumerable time, be reunited in one all-embracing Germanic State.

IT IS ADOLF Hitler, Dictator of Germany, who has taught them this. Hitler, the Austrian born beyond the border river of the Inn, is

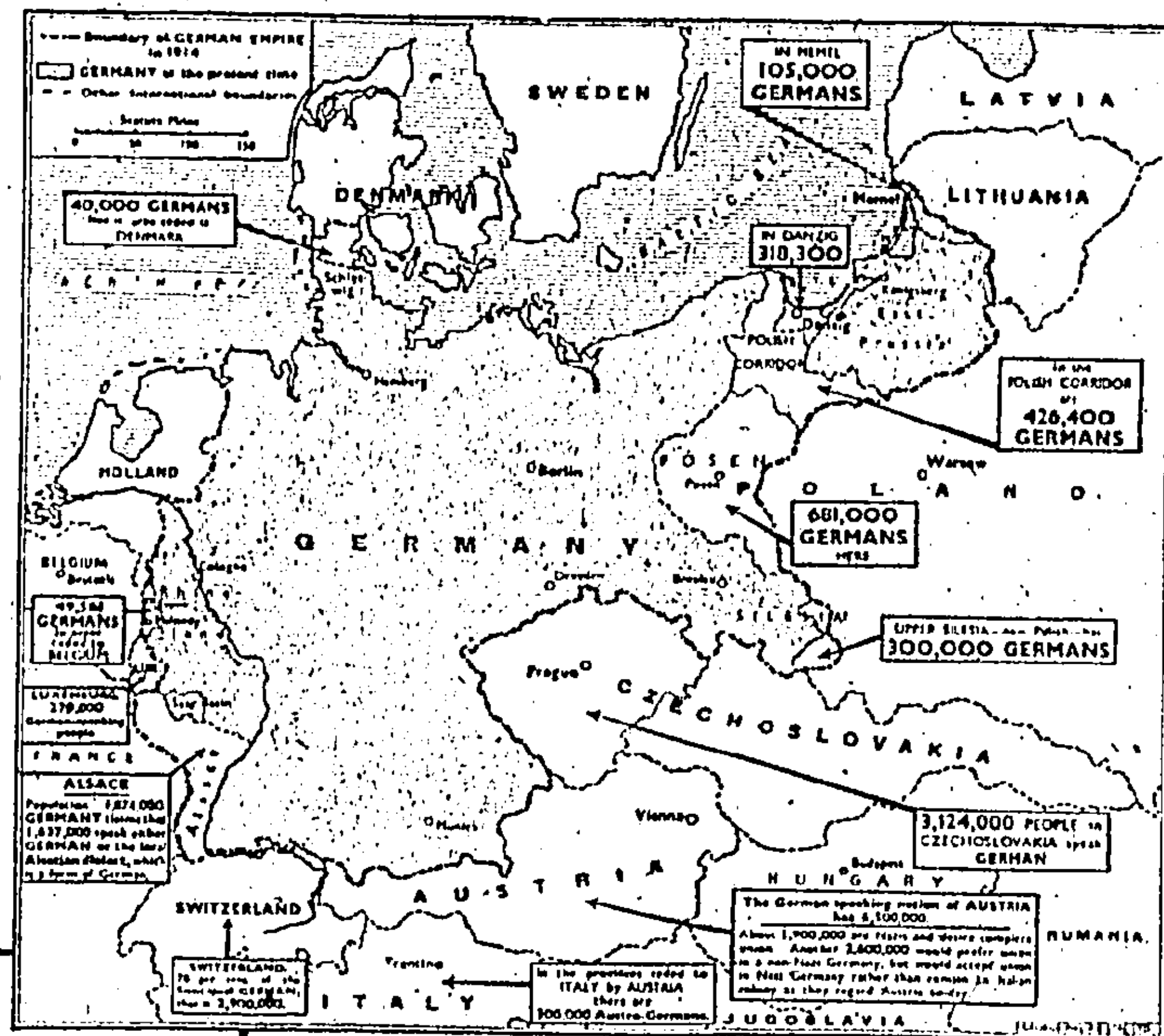
## NOTES OF THE DAY

## THAT CHIT LAW

It was probably news to some of our readers to learn from the special article which appeared in yesterday's Telegraph that chit-signing by non-residents of Hotels, unless accompanied by the purchase of a "meal," is illegal. Our object in giving prominence to the point was to cite it as an example of many laws which clutter up the

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Germany, Austria and Italy are being more closely drawn together. France appears somewhat worried over the development, while British comment at this stage is marked by caution. If the new accord can be made the starting-point of a peaceful adjustment of European affairs, it will mark an important step towards world peace. Britain will perforce have to consider the whole question of balance of power and eventually come more into the open. A policy of hesitancy cannot continue indefinitely, for that way danger

There are  
Fifteen million  
Germans outside  
Germany . . . and  
Hitler wants them back

SAID  
HITLER:  
"Not till the confines  
of the Reich include  
every single German."

the prophet who preaches the  
reunion of all Germans.

In the very first sentence of his famous autobiography, "Mein Kampf" ("My Struggle") Hitler writes: "It stands me in good stead to-day that I decided that Braunau, on the River Inn, should be my birthplace. That little town lies on the frontier between two German States, the reunion of which we younger ones regard as a work worthy of accomplishment by all means in our power. Common blood must belong to a common race."

There you have the inner core of the phenomenon called Hitler, archly, but ever beat for a German through all the twists and turns of policy, beyond and above the astonishing medley and muddle of his economic and social theories. Hitler holds true to this racial creed.

FROM THE midst of the most cynical discussions of the mentality of the mob, this THING of blood is Reich include every single German 4,500,000 of them are ready for union and are certain of being able to in a Greater Germany.

## SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"I wouldn't mind father repeating the cuts things I say, but they're not so good the way he tells them."

IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, which was carved out of the old Austro-Hungarian Empire, there are another 3,124,000 whose language and culture are German. As in Austria, a powerful local Nazi Party expresses their desire to join the Fatherland.

Then in Posen, Silesia, and the Polish Corridor—all taken from Germany and given to Poland—there are 1,407,000 more. The great Battle port of Danzig, a Free City under the League of Nations, contains 318,300 Germans; Memel holds 105,000.

Denmark, which in 1919 recovered part of the Schleswig territory that Bismarck snatched in 1864, incorporated also into her midst 40,000 German settlers. Belgium took over nearly 50,000 in Eupen and Malmedy. France has 1,637,000 German-speaking citizens in Alsace. True, Hitler has renounced Alsace, though the Alsacians, who should really be left alone, like the Irish, have not renounced Germany.

(Alsace, long contended for by France and Germany, and owned by each in turn, invariably develops its highest loyalty towards the country that is not governing it at the moment.)

The Luxembourgers (270,000 of them altogether) speak German, and the Swiss Germans number 2,900,000, though neither of these peoples have expressed any real desire for a closer union with Germany. The Nazi race propagandists, however, have not abandoned these offshoots of the main stem.

NOW IF HITLER means to carry on with his programme as laid down in "Mein Kampf," you can see that considerable upheavals are due before these 15,351,000 wandering sheep of the German flock can ever be gathered in.

That's not all. There are 300,000 Germans in Italy, perhaps twice as many more in Jugoslavia and Rumania. There is a German colony of close upon a million in Russia, scattered from the Ukraine to the Baltic States. Any one of those populations might be persuaded to start an "irredentist" campaign. History tells that the easiest of all excuses for war is that you are going in to rescue your poor little brother from the bully who oppresses him. The German race, indeed, is spread across the world—pretty near as widely as the Jews.

DOES HITLER hope to bring them all within the "Common Reich of the Common Blood"? If not, who can say at what precise point the doctrine of Teutonic race unity is to be allowed to halt?

In Germany Hitler is hammering and welding 63,000,000 people into a single sword dedicated to this belief. Outside of Germany millions who speak the German tongue are being drenched with the same propaganda.

Frank Owen



# EMPIRE CLOSING RANKS IN THE PACIFIC

"ANTI-WAR" DRIVE

## Hongkong Included In International Drive For Peace

Washington, July 13.

With their campaign to get 50,000,000 signatures for a People's Mandate against war well under way in the United States and Europe, the Women's International League is preparing to send representatives to the Far East to get the drive started in China and Japan. A representative will leave for Hongkong on July 18.

The mandate calling upon governments to stop increasing armaments, to use present peace machinery for the settlement of conflicts, to sign a world treaty for immediate reduction of arms and to secure international agreements recognizing world interdependence, has already been translated into French, Spanish, German and Swedish and is being circulated in 39 countries.

The League, headed by Mrs. Hannah Clothier Hull, of Swarthmore, Penna., has succeeded in getting Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt to act as honorary chairman of the mandate committee in the United States. Blanks with room for 4,000,000 signatures are already in circulation in this country with a goal of 12,000,000 by spring.

Just back from Europe where she spent two months initiating the drive, Miss Mabel Vernon, campaign director of the League, finds that the present crisis abroad has made pacifists "more determined than ever to have their demands heeded."

"Our purpose," she said, "is to express such overwhelming public opinion for peace that governments will not dare to consider war as a way of settling conflicts. I am encouraged to find upon my return to Washington that the most important national organizations of every character—women's associations, church bodies, farm and labour groups—are assisting the campaign in this country."

## Dr. Digby To Represent H.K. At Meet In Hawaii

PAN-PACIFIC ASSOCIATION

Honolulu, Hawaii, July 10.

Prominent surgeons from all countries bordering the Pacific will gather in Honolulu August 6 to 14 for the second congress of the Pan Pacific Surgical Association at which latest developments in all phases of surgery will come under discussion.

An official invitation to the governments of the United States, Canada, Central and South America, Australia, New Zealand, Japan, China, Java, and the Philippines to send delegates to the congress has been extended at the request of the governor of Hawaii by the U. S. States department.

Many of the noted medical experts who participated in the first congress held here in 1929 have signified their intention of attending this summer's meeting.

Among the medical experts expected to take an active part in the congress will be W. S. New, Chairman, Chinese Medical Association Shanghai; J. H. Liu, director, Department of Health, Nanking; P. F. Greene, chief of surgical division, Hunan-Yale Medical College, Changshai; H. L. Chan, Peiping Union Medical College; B. Martin, head of department of surgery, Sun Yat Sen University, Canton; Kenelm H. Digby, University of Hongkong; Y. S. Lee, Severance Union Medical College, Seoul, Korea; E. Nowak, Soerabaja, Java; J. K. W. Newberger and J. Kullman, Semarang, Java; Archibald Watson, Adelaide University; Sir James Barrett and T. F. Ryan, Melbourne; J. Hardie Neil, Auckland, N.Z.; H. O. Barnes, Los Angeles; Clarence E. Rees, San Diego; J. C. Geiger, director of public health, San Francisco; W. Jones Harriman, Long Beach; L. H. Chandler, dean of school of medicine, Stanford University, Palo Alto, California; A. H. Pencock and A. T. Wannamaker, Seattle, Wash.; C. Jeff Miller, New Orleans; Malcolm T. MacEachern, associate director American College of Surgeons, Chicago.

The congress will be divided into fourteen major sections for discussion and study. The divisions include: general surgery, surgical research, neuro-surgery, plastic surgery, traumatic surgery, orthopedic surgery, otolaryngology, ophthalmology, gynecology and obstetrics, roentgenology and neurological surgery.

Dr. George W. Swift, Seattle, Wash., internationally prominent for his work in neuro-surgery and president of the Pan Pacific Surgical Association, will preside over the congress.

## New N.Y.K. Service In Operation

EXPRESS CARGO TO EUROPE

FIVE brand new ships, which will call regularly at Hongkong are making their maiden voyages this year, to open a new Japanese express cargo service for the N.Y.K.

This fleet of 20-knot ships will operate regularly between Japan and northern Europe, maintaining an average speed of 17 knots between ports. It will run in addition to the existing, but slower, Japan-Liverpool freight service.

The Kokusa Kaisha is handing over three motor ships to the N.Y.K. to fulfil these plans. The other two ships are being constructed directly for the N.Y.K.

The three motor ships (building at the Kawasaki and Harima dockyards) will be 7,000 tons gross, have a deadweight capacity of 9,100 tons and be 450 feet long. Four deep tanks with a capacity of 300 tons each are being installed.

The secret of their high speed is in the M.A.N. Diesels providing the propelling power for two of the ships, and the Sulzer used for the third.

The first ship, the Kashi Maru, passed through Hongkong on her maiden voyage in May. Intermediate ports of call on the new service are Shanghai, Hongkong, Saigon, Singapore, Penang, Djibouti, Port Sudan, Suez, Port Said, Alexandria, Marseilles, London and Antwerp.

In spite of this number of calls she is expected to link Hongkong and Marseilles in 24 days, Hongkong and London in 31 days.

The second ship to be released will be the Kaku Maru, sailing from Yokohama in mid-July, and the third the Kikugasaki Maru, sailing at the beginning of August. Two more motor-ships for the N.Y.K. are still under construction at the Mitsubishi dockyards at Nagasaki, to be 7,450 tons gross each.

By commissioning them before the end of this year the N.Y.K. will be able to maintain a four-weekly express freight service which will probably be the fastest link for cargo between the Far East and the North of Europe.

## Significance Of Australia's Trade War With Japanese

SINGAPORE THE PIVOT OF DEFENCE

## Roosevelt's Pledge To Mr. J. A. Lyons

(By A Special Correspondent)

HONGKONG AND THE FAR EAST IN GENERAL ARE CLOSELY INVOLVED IN AUSTRALIA'S INTENTION TO TAKE A DECISIVE STAND IN DEALING WITH PROBLEMS OF THE PACIFIC.

Australia, it is revealed, viewed the Far Eastern crisis so seriously that she has risked a major trade quarrel with Japan and has agreed to buy an extra £4,000,000 worth of British goods every year as a preliminary to closer co-ordination of British and Australian defence plans in the Pacific.

CONSIDERATIONS of strategy based on Singapore are the mainstay of this consolidation of Imperial interests. In the case of Australia these interests have suffered some divergence in the past when international relationships were less strained, but there is evidence of a growing awareness of the necessity for a complete understanding with Britain. The new trade agreement has smoothed the way towards such an understanding.

The move has not been an easy one for Australia. The new agreement will increase the value of Australian imports from Britain to some £35 millions annually. Viewed in the light of Britain's purchases from Australia in 1934-35—valued at £63½ millions—this does not seem a remarkable sacrifice.

### BLOW TO JAPAN

But the increase will be made up largely of imports of British rayon and cotton goods, to the virtual exclusion of Japan in the better quality lines of these articles. Japan's expected retaliation, in the form of heavy tariffs on Australian wool, wheat, and hides strikes a serious blow at Australia, which at present enjoys a favourable trade balance with Japan amounting to more than £7,000,000 a year.

Other Australian imports by the new agreement are motor cars. Here the U.S.A. will be the chief sufferer, but she is not likely to join Japan in retaliatory measures.

In the first place the U.S.A. is already £3,000,000 to the good in her annual trade dealings with Australia. In the second place a new understanding has grown up between America and Australia in the Pacific.

### ROOSEVELT'S PROMISE

It began when the Prime Minister of Australia (Mr. J. A. Lyons) was passing through America, on his way to the Jubilee Celebrations last year, and received a personal though unofficial assurance from President Roosevelt that if Australia were ever the victim of aggression the U.S.A. would immediately come to her aid.

It was re-inforced this year at the London Naval Conference when the Japanese delegates abruptly walked out and left Great Britain and U.S.A. to discuss Pacific problems on their own.

Australia's anxiety for closer unity with Britain in trade, finance, and defence are illustrated by the visits to London, all within the past 12 months of the Premiers of Queensland and New South Wales, and the former Premier of Victoria. They were joined by the Commonwealth Deputy Prime Minister, Dr. Earle Page, and the Attorney-General, Mr. Menzies, who is widely regarded as Australia's next Prime Minister.

### AUSTRALIA'S ARMS

The conversations which followed at Whitehall have not been made public, and are never likely to be, but their immediate sequel was remarkable.

The new Anglo-Australian trade pact was announced. So also was a new Australian defence programme; an arrangement by the Commonwealth Government to set up plant for the mass production of aero-engines and war planes; a new stimulus for civil aviation in Australia; and a new conciliatory attitude towards the new Empire air-mail route, the Australian section of which the Commonwealth Government had flatly re-

fused to approve. The new Australian defence programme includes:

An intensive recruiting campaign. Modernisation of military aerodromes and provision of new seaplane bases on her extensive coastline. Manufacture of tanks, armoured cars, and heavy ammunition (in addition to the aero-engines already mentioned).

### NEW CRUISERS

The possibility of Australia establishing a new squadron of four light cruisers instead of her two "County" class cruisers, H.M.A.S. Australia and Canberra, and the obsolete cruisers, H.M.A.S. Sydney and Adelaide, is also being discussed.

Preliminary plans for the establishment of an aero-engine plant entail an initial expenditure of £1,000,000. A tour of British aeroplane factories was completed recently on behalf of the Commonwealth Government, and engines will be produced in Australia under licence.

Civil aviation, which in the Australian continent, with its tenuous communications, is an invaluable adjunct to defence plans, has been rapidly developed in the past few months. Australia's internal air lines now total more than 16,000 miles.

### JAPANESE ESTRANGEMENT

The less cordial note that has entered into Austral-Japanese relations is unfortunate by contrast with the optimism which prevailed during the visit of the Australian Trade Mission in 1933. There is no hostility towards the Japanese people in Australia. On the contrary there is a great deal of sympathy for their problems and admiration for their industry. But, Australia realises that, in a world of economic nationalism, trade and defence problems are indissoluble.

The recent military coup in Tokyo and its partial success has also had a disquieting effect.

Australia fears that a similar coup might give the naval faction a predominating hold on Japanese foreign policy. This would undoubtedly divert Japanese expansionist policy from the Asiatic mainland to the Pacific. The recent publication of a book entitled "Japan - Must Fight Britain," written by a retired Japanese naval officer, was an example also of an unfortunate type of Japanese swash-buckling which has antagonised a section of public opinion in the Commonwealth. The book describes a hypothetical conquest of Australia, and although it has, of course, been officially discredited in Tokyo, this sort of talk has its inevitable effect on an impressionable public.

### AUSTRALIA'S CHOICE

Australia felt that she was called upon to decide between Britain and Japan as to her trade future. She naturally based her decision on primary considerations of territorial security.

The new trade agreement with Britain will stand, but it is also likely that Australia will be able to arrive at some new basis of understanding with Japan.

The Japanese Government have made a show of their intentions to become independent of Australian imports. They are negotiating new trade treaties with South

## RADIO BROADCAST

Daventry—Foreign Affairs By Sir Frederick Whyte

A STUDIO RECITAL

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles): 7 p.m. Chinese Programme. 7 p.m. Excerpts from "The Millado" (Gilbert and Sullivan). 7.25 p.m. Patricia Rossborough at the Piano.

1. Rosa Mario—Selections. 2. The Town Talks—Selections. 3. Sweetheart Joe, the Candy Man; 4. A Cavalcade of Musical Tunes. 7.40 p.m. Light Orchestral Selections.

Raymond—Overture (Thomas); By the Sleepy Lagoon (Eric Coates); The Clock and the Dresden China Figures (Ketelbey); In the Shadows (Finck).

8 p.m. Time, Weather, Stock Quotations and Announcements. 8.05 p.m. A Variety Concert. Song—A Little Door, A Little Lock, A Little Key... Val Kosing; Instrumental—Italian Favourites... The Hodlars; Band—Alexander's Ragtime Band; Song—I Love Dancing... Josephine Baker; Band—Mall of Brazil; Vocal—Oh! Lee... The American Elton Boy; Accordion Solo—Top of the Selection... George Scott-Wood; Vocal—Chloe (Song of the Swamp)... The Radio Three; Vocal—Drury Lane Pantomime Memories.

8.15 p.m. Concert Waltzes. Blue Danube (J. Strauss); Moonlight on the Alster (Petras); Helena Waltzer (Offenbach); Kongreb Walzer (Strauss).

9 p.m. Daventry News Bulletin and Announcements. 9.20 p.m. Two Violin Solos by Yehudi Menuhin.

1. Moto. Perpetuo (Perpetual Motion) (Paganini); 2. Sarabande and Tambourin (Sarabate).

9.30 p.m. From the Studio. A Recital by Nura Kanis (Pianoforte) and J. McNaught Thomson (Baritone).

### Programme.

1. Songs—(a) The Auctioneers (b) Old Furniture (c) The Rocking Chair; From Cycle of Songs ("Old Furniture")... Arundel; 2. Piano Solo—Two Songs without Words... Mendelssohn; 3. Songs—Shik Red Sun... Del Riego; Inevictus Bruno Huhn; 4. Piano Solo—Two Studies... Chopin; 5. Song—She is far from the Land... Lambert.

10 p.m. A Relay from Daventry. Big Ben. Talk—"Foreign Affairs" by Sir Frederick Whyte, K.C.M.G., L.D. 10.17 p.m. Dance Music by Jack Jackson and his Orchestra. 11 p.m. Close Down.

## RELICS FROM "BRITANNIA"

PROCEEDS FOR KING GEORGE FUND

London, July 13. A cheque for £774 15s. 4d. for the King George V National Memorial Fund has been received by the Lord Mayor.

It was sent at the direction of the King, who has already made a personal contribution of £1,000 to the fund, and represents the amount realised at a recent sale of gear and fittings of the late King's famous racing yacht, Britannia, which was scuttled off the Isle of Wight last Friday, in accordance with King George's wish.—*British Wireless.*

Africa. Japan has imported another 1,500 Australian merino sheep, with the avowed intention of establishing a vast wool industry in Korea and Manchukuo.

It is unlikely, however, that Japan will be able to fulfil her threats. South Africa cannot supply either the quantity or the quality of the wool required by Japanese manufacturers. Sheep-raising experiments in Manchukuo have not met with conspicuous success to date, and in any case it would take many years to produce a large clip.

The change-over would also entail the re-equipment of Japanese woolen mills at a cost that is probably prohibitive to Japan in her present financial straits. The present machinery has been designed specially to handle fine merino wool of a type that Australia alone can produce.

The claim of patriotic Japanese generals that the fighting services will dispense with wool and use cotton is not likely to prove practicable during a winter campaign in Mongolia, or even in North China.

The main cause of regret seems to be Mr. Lyon's inspired outburst that Japan had tried to coerce Australia's trade policy.

In these days of trade rivalry which often amounts to nothing less than an extension of war into the field of economics, it is hardly a military armistice, it is nothing less than hypocritical for any country to accuse another of "coercion" or "unfair retaliation."

British interests in the Far East will be more inclined to take a realistic view of this latest development of the crisis in the Pacific, and will hope for a realistic solution of the problems involved. As the gateway between Asia and the Fifth Continent Hongkong cannot afford to be disinterested.

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## "DELPHINIUS" ARRIVES

The Imperial Airways liner Delphinus brought the air mail from Penang this week in place of the Dorado.

The Delphinus, which will alternate on the service with the Dorado, making its first appearance in Hongkong, arrived at 10.40 a.m.

The Delphinus had Captain J. H. Lock as her pilot, with Mr. Davys as second pilot and Mr. Ballantine as supercargo. She brought here 107 kilos of mail and 800 kilos of freight.

### FAIR TO SHOWERY

Pressure is highest in the Pacific to the east of the Bonins, and is relatively low over China generally. A depression of considerable intensity covers Manchuria. Local forecasts—South and S.W. winds, moderate; fair to showery.

## MANILA SHARES

The following quotations have been received by Swan, Culbertson & Fritz by their Manila office after the close of this morning's session.

	Buyers	Sellers
Antamok	3.40	3.45
Bugulo Gold	.25	.20
Benguet Consolidated	12.30	12.40
Benguet Exploration	.20	.21
Big Wedge	.33	.41
Consolidated Mines	.037	.038
Demonstration	.05	.09
Ilogon	1.25	1.30
Masbate	.57	.58
Salacot	.08	.09
San Maurice	.87	.88
Suyo	.33	.34
United Phosphates	.89	.90
Market—Weak		

## SOVIET LOAN POPULAR

Moscow, July 13. The Soviet's new 4,000,000,000 roubles loan was over-subscribed by 27,000,000 roubles within ten days. Reuter.



# Mixed Doubles League Is Good As Won

## C.R.C. WINS VITAL MATCH RECREIO'S VICTORY

It will now require something very unexpected to stop Chinese Recreation Club from winning the mixed doubles tennis league. They made the title virtually safe yesterday by beating U.S.R.C. six sets to three. This was as anticipated but it is interesting to cogitate on the possible outcome of the watch had the United Services enjoyed the presence of Mrs. Kayll and Mrs. Dowling.

As it was their successors put up very creditable shows. Mrs. Holmes assisted Sullivan to beat W. C. Hung and Mrs. Linton, the same couple also winning three games from Tsui Yun-pui and Miss Rose Perry. Goldman and Mrs. Nora Wilson scored decisively against Hung and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu after a fine set.

The Tsui brothers played admirable tennis for the winners and contributed a notable part to the result.

### RECREIO WINS

Club de Recreio had the satisfaction of securing their first win of the season when they entertained and beat K.C.C. (2) by the odd set. The losers introduced a new pair in Gray and Miss G. White, but they met with no success.

The visitors were greatly indebted to Clark and Mrs. McCaw for their good showing against an improved team, and but for one unfortunate lapse they would have forced a draw for the K.C.C.

Against A. V. Remedios and Miss A. Roza, Clark and Mrs. McCaw were leading 5-2 and 40-15 on Clark's service. Then Remedios took complete command of the court and by some superb driving and fine volleying saved this game and went on to win the set at 7-5. During this period Miss Roza gave excellent support by her sound returns while the visiting pair, hitherto dominant, lost their touch.

It was an exciting set, there being no less than eight deuce calls on Clark's service for the 11th game. Clark and Mrs. McCaw won their other two sets in convincing manner, while Guest and Mrs. Kew had the satisfaction of securing a set and a half.

Remedios was the outstanding player of the match, but the most interesting feature was the all-round improvement shown by the Recreio lady players. Miss O. M. Ribeiro made a promising debut with A. V. Gonano.

This was the second time the teams have met this season, the initial match ending in a draw.

### LEAGUE TABLE

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
C.R.C.	3	3	0	0	23	4	6
U.S.R.C.	3	2	0	1	16	11	4
Recreio	2	1	1	0	9	8	3
K.C.C. (1)	2	1	0	1	10	7	2
K.C.C. (2)	0	0	1	5	13	41	1

### RECREIO V. K.C.C.

The results of the Recreio and K.C.C. match are:  
V. Gonano and Miss O. M. Ribeiro drew with A. E. Grist and Mrs. A. J. Kew 6-6; lost to G. Clark (Continued on Page 5.)

## To-day's Football Meeting

### AN IMPORTANT AGENDA

Hongkong Football Association will this evening hold one of its most important annual meetings for several years. It is likely that the constitution of the league will be proposed and discussed with the idea of finding ways and means of rationalising the hitherto chaotic football seasons.

Of prime importance is a motion to reconstitute the first division by permitting clubs to enter but one team in the division. But it is likely that an amendment will be proposed with the object of restricting the numerical strength of the division. Another alternative is that all charity and knock-out tournament matches shall be played on Sundays, leaving Saturdays free for league games.

The season's finances and the ever-recurring heavy losses may also be debated.

The meeting will take place at the Sports Club at 6.30 p.m.

## Helen Jacobs Once Used Crutches

Few people know that Miss Helen Jacobs, the American lawn tennis champion and No. 1 of the Wightman Cup team, suffers occasionally, when playing, from a slight physical disability.

She confesses to it in a volume of personal reminiscences published recently. Helen was six, and amusing her sister, aged one, by standing up in bed and bouncing vigorously up and down.

Suddenly she bounced off the bed on to the corner of a rocking chair, cutting her foot to the bone.

"I remember the floor covered with blood" (she writes). "the face of my mother, and the crutches that followed some weeks later."

"Now that foot is the only handicap I ever suffer on a tennis court."

## WELLARD AND JACKSON

### EARN BOWLING HONOURS

### SOMERSET WIN

London, July 13. Wellard of Somerset and Jackson of Worcester were the leading lights in the county cricket match between these teams, which concluded to-day in a win for Somerset by 170 runs.

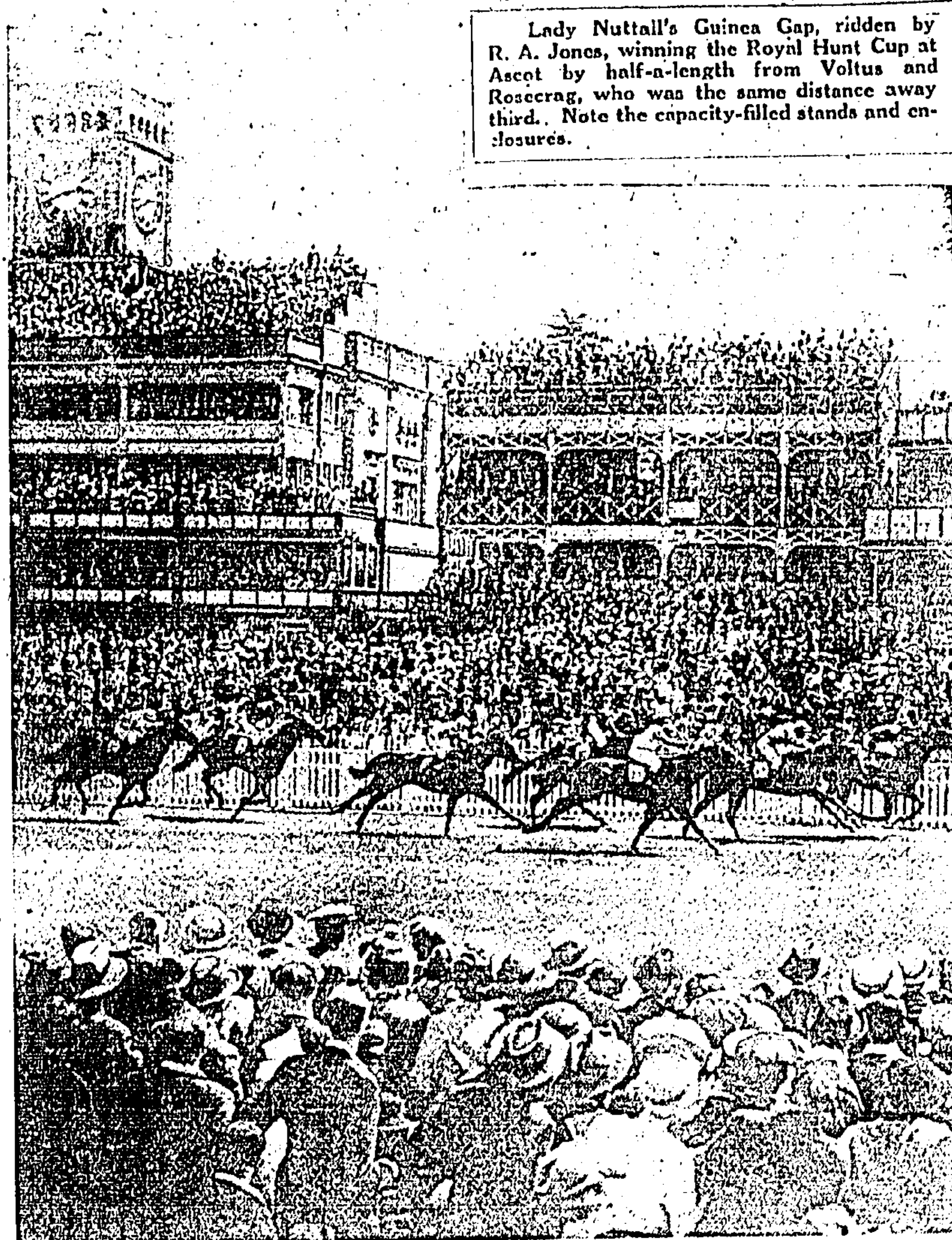
Both took ten wickets in the course of the match, the four innings aggregating but 444 runs. Worcester were twice dismissed for less than 80.

Here are the figures of Wellard and Jackson.

Wellard (1st innings) . 5 for 15  
2nd innings . 5 for 29  
Jackson (1st innings) . 5 for 62  
2nd innings . 5 for 59

Howarth also bowled with effect for Worcester, capturing five wickets for 74 in Somerset's second knock.

The winners scored 142 and 165, while Worcester could only amass 60 and 77.—Reuter.



Lady Nuttall's Guinea Gap, ridden by R. A. Jones, winning the Royal Hunt Cup at Ascot by half-a-length from Voltus and Rosecrag, who was the same distance away third. Note the capacity-filled stands and enclosures.

## Guinea Gap Wins The Royal Hunt Cup

### Beats Voltus By Half Length

(By Captain Heath)

King Sol again bestrode his kindly splendour on Ascot but whoever it is regulates fortune's destinies was not on the side of the majority of punters when the Royal Hunt Cup came up to be decided. Lady Nuttall's Guinea Gap, a 28-1 chance, ridden by Robert Jones, won half a length from Voltus, who was in turn a similar distance in front of Rosecrag with Gunboat, Hans Sachs, Finalist and Galvani next in order.

It was a fine race in which I should say the winner made the whole of the running that mattered though Saracen and Over Coat led early on, and so well did Guinea Gap bang on that he was never in danger of capitulating before the various challenges which were delivered.

Over Coat did not quite stay this severe almost mile. In a way it was a race of disappointments—many big events this year have been—but we must not withhold credit from Guinea Gap, who has been placed every time he has run this season, and this was his sixth outing.

Thoroughly exposed and therefore handicapped to the pound, Guinea Gap found that little bit extra which he pulled wide of the group, but by that time his chance had gone. But Chuchoteur lives to fight a winning battle another day.

There was considerable delay at the post, caused by Fresh Fox, who had also cut capers in the paddock before he went to line up, but eventually they got away to a nice start.

I sensed the fate of Chuchoteur when I picked him out from among the ruck at half-way. At this stage Steve was galloping behind a bunch of horses and vainly attempting to battle a path through them; eventually he pulled wide of the group, but by that time his chance had gone.

But Chuchoteur lives to fight a winning battle another day.

The winner is a five-year-old, but second, third and fourth are all a year younger—the favoured age for winners of this particular race.

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TOTE TURNOVER

Ascot's gigantic totalisator is heading for another gigantic record. This season the receipts for the first three days total £221,379, which suggests that the turnover will exceed £400,000 and set up a new high level.

Such was the interest in Omaha's challenge in America that a special broadcast was arranged by the

## R.E.'S GOOD CRICKET SEASON

### Records And Averages

The complete records of the Royal Engineers' cricket club for the 1935-36 season, unavoidably delayed, are just to hand. They reveal that during the season the club took part in the Hongkong Cricket League (second division) and the Large Units League as well as playing a number of friendly matches.

The complete records shows that 26 games were played, 12 won, 10 lost and four drawn.

In the Hongkong Cricket League, six out of ten matches were won, two lost and two drawn, while in the friendly engagements, 14 matches were played, five won, seven lost and two drawn. After reaching the final of the Large Units knock-out league, the Sappers were beaten by the East Lancashire.

Below will be found their records for the season, together with the batting and bowling averages.

### LEAGUE MATCHES

Beat Indian Recreation Club by four runs; beat Civil Service Cricket Club by four wickets; drew with Kowloon Cricket Club; beat Police Recreation Club by three wickets; lost to R.A.M.C. by two runs; beat R.A.S.C. by 26 runs; lost to Cranleigh Cricket Club by one wicket; beat Club de Recreio by four runs; beat Hongkong University by seven wickets; drew with Royal Navy.

### FRIENDLY MATCHES

Beat Hongkong University by 74 runs; drew with Diocesan Boys' School; drew with R.A.M.C.; lost to Royal Welch Fusiliers by 81 runs; lost to Central British School by 54 runs; beat H.K.C.C. by 105 runs; lost to R.A.S.C. by four wickets; beat East Lancashire by one wicket; beat R.A.M.C. by one wicket; lost to Central British School by two wickets; lost to Royal Artillery by eight wickets; lost to Indian Recreation Club by 88 runs; lost to H.K.C.C. by one wicket; lost to Royal Artillery by 27 runs.

### LARGE UNITS LEAGUE

Beat Royal Welch Fusiliers by 17 runs; lost to East Lancashire (in final) by three wickets.

### BATTING AVERAGES

Name	No.	Runs	Most	Average
Col. Kirk	16	332	20	41.5
Sgt. Collins	15	210	20	17.14
Cpl. Waterhouse	21	304	64	16.78
Capt. Merton	22	298	40	16.57
Sgt. Daniels	14	218	41	16.57
Capt. Warr	13	184	25	13.42
Capt. Singer	11	111	45	12.53
Spr. Bunt	6	60	18	12.5
Lt. Cpl. Shipp	13	269	109	11.7
Capt. Foley	18	112	27	10.66
Capt. Merton	12	148	10	10.5
Spr. Reddihill	17	126	33	9
Spr. Beale	6	3	21	11
Sgt. Curdell	6	30	22	7
Spr. Coppard	6	39	15	6.5
Spr. Bradford	19	4	11	4.1

### BOWLING AVERAGES

Name	O.	M.	R.	Wkts.	Average
Spr. Reddihill	214.5	50	61.3	68	16.42
Spr. Merton	102	13	308	27	11.41
Lt. Cpl. Singer	173.2	29	52.6	45	12.2
Spr. Bradford	121.9	21	808	31	12.84
Capt. Merton	39	4	164	11	14
Cpl. Waterhouse	50	4	218	17	14.59

## Our Daily Golf Hint

The swing must have an anchor, and the head is the anchor. Also there can be no other anchor.  
—Grantland Rice.

## ASTONVILLA'S LOSS WAS £10,885

### Last Season

Financial side of big football is enough to make one dizzy, so big are the figures sometimes. Aston Villa, who poured out thousands of pounds on new players last season in a "desperate but unsuccessful effort to avoid relegation, have issued their balance-sheet.

It shows a loss on the year's working of £10,885, compared with a loss the previous season of £2,515.

"The loss (states the report) is due to £2,000 being expended on the Witton-lane stand and to exceptional expenditure on players in the hope of improving the strength of the team."

Exceptional expenditure, indeed. Series of big "buys" last season put Villa in front-page headlines.

They were said to have spent round about £24,000 in a month; round about the £30,000 mark altogether.

### PLANNING THE FUTURE

Another extract from the report on this expenditure:—

"It is a matter of regret to the directors that this did not have the desired result. The future is naturally a matter that provides the board with the greatest concern, and the closest consideration is being given to the formation of a team that will at the earliest possible moment regain for Aston Villa their First Division status."

Some more Villa figures Gates last season came to £61,100 against £52,530; players' wages, bonuses and transfers £44,590 against £31,400; ground maintenance £5,105; entertainment tax £9,702.

Annual meeting of the club will be held on July 3.

### LINCOLN APPOINTMENT

Soccer appointment: Charles William Spence, former Newcastle United and England international, to be secretary-manager of Lincoln City in succession to Harry Parkes.

"C.W." who has been secretary-manager of Wigan Athletic, Cheshire County League club, has played a big part in that side's success during the past three years. He was player-manager of Tunbridge Wells.

Southampton F.C. profit last season was £232. First team "gates" were up by £1,000. Sum received for goalkeeper Light's transfer to West Bromwich also helped to put accounts on right side.

## DIED PLAYING TENNIS GIRLS' SCHOOL TRAGEDY

A 24-year-old lawn tennis player collapsed and died during a match between Stamford High School and the school Old Girls at Stamford, Lincolnshire, recently.

She was Miss Gladys Scootney, only daughter of Councillor J. W. Scootney, of Stamford; a well-known Midlands antique dealer.

Miss Scootney and her partner had played four games when she suddenly fell to the ground.

A doctor was summoned and artificial respiration was tried, in vain.

## MILITARY CRICKET

### A One-Sided Fixture In Battalion League

Playing in the Inter-Company League of the 2nd East Lancashire Regiment, Headquarters Wing won easily from "B" Company at Sharncliffe, beating their opponents by 190 runs.

Headquarters Wing scored a total of 246 runs, of which Pte. Cowter made 83, L/C. Whitehead 44, Pte. Baker 34 and C.S.M. Elvin 28. Pte. Crabtree took four of the wickets for 39 runs.

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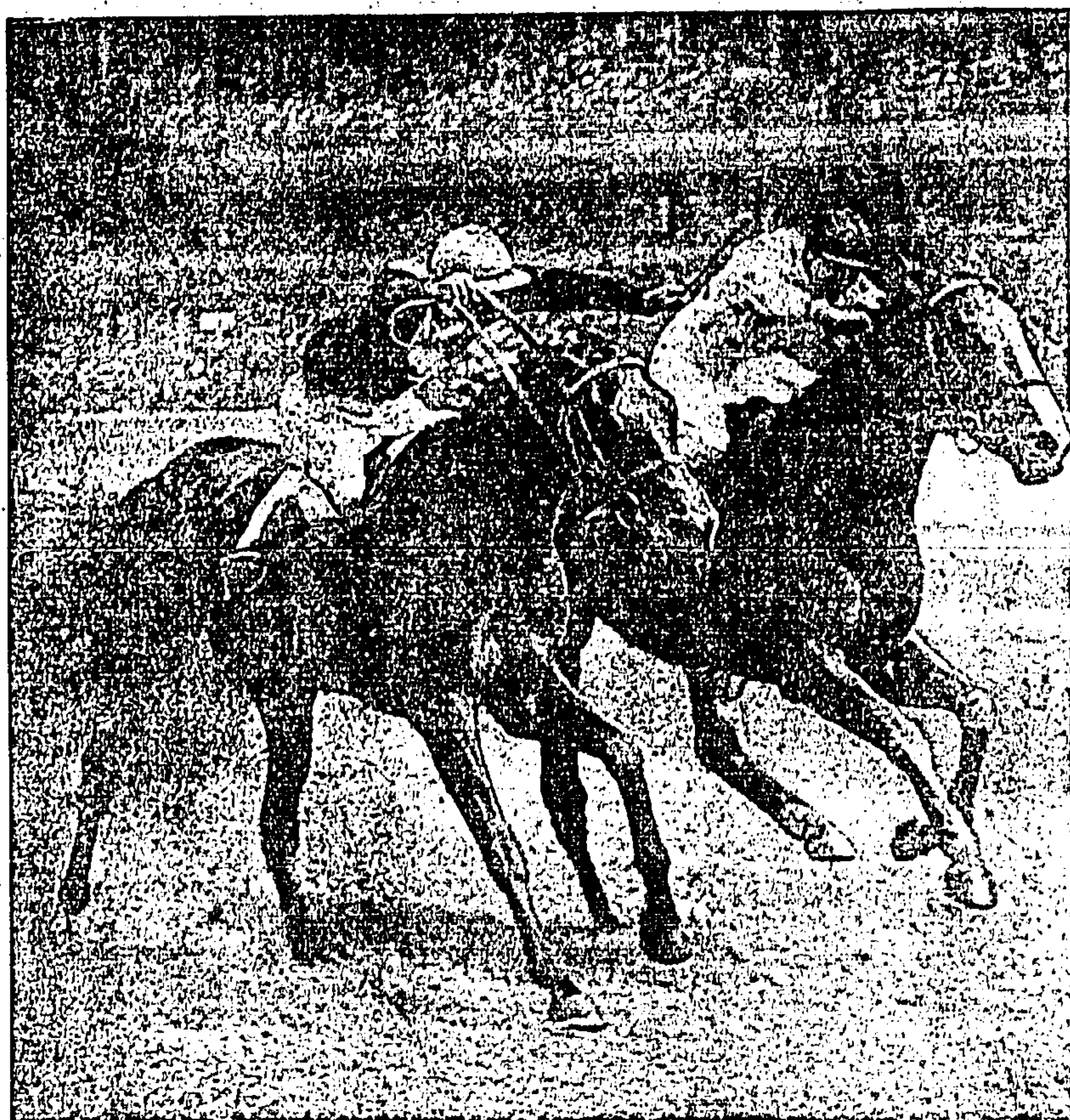
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ASCOT GOLD CUP. A fine close-up of the finish, showing Quashed (nearer camera) defeating Omaha.

## American Horse Nosed Out In Ascot Gold Cup Race

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(From the Picquet)

Ascot, June 19.

Pat Beasley, lost his whip just as his mount, Omaha, and Quashed passed the post for the inkstand and candlesticks which are called the Ascot Gold Cup. Pat Beasley would not have won in any case, and he is too good a jockey to make excuses. The American horse ran "a great race," to use his trainer's words, and was short-headed by a slightly better horse. The rest, for all intents and purposes, were nowhere.

Lord Stanley, the lessee of Quashed, is the thirteenth owner of a mare or filly to have won this race since its inception in 1807. He is also the first owner to have won with a mare or filly who is not in the stud book. The greatest fillies to have won the race before Quashed, were Beeswing (1842) and La Fleche (1894), and none of her sex has won since the latter. Quashed is a granddaughter of Shogun (who was not in the stud book) and a great-granddaughter of Santol, who won the cup in 1901. She goes back on her sire's side to the great Ascot Cup winner, St. Simon, and through her dam to Persimmon.

Omaha, is also technically half-bred, although, of course, he takes an honourable place in the American Stud Book.

Thus the two "outsiders," from a

climax came when Clark, who had got himself down to fighting weight, landed a phenomenal punch which knocked the ex-champion out for several minutes.

Pomeroy, when the ring doctor restored him to consciousness, became lyrical in his tribute to the actor's prowess. He declared, "Gable's punch felt like a can of dynamite exploding at the end of my jaw."

"I'd like to rain that bozo for the ring. He'd make a chopping-block of some of those so-called champs."

breeding point of view, beat the thoroughbreds out of sight. Mr. Woodward, the owner of Omaha, has long pleaded the case for the admission of certain American strains into the English Stud Book and his claims must now be stronger than ever they were.

Dick Perryman admitted that both Quashed and Omaha were tiring as they passed the post. "But," said Dick, "my mare simply would not give in." He thought that from the time he took the lead, going into the straight, until the winning post was reached he was never headed.

Charles Elliott, who rode the third, Bolbul, was loud in his praises of first and second. His sympathies, I fancy, were with Omaha, for he stressed the fact that the horse had taken a lot out of himself through excitement before the race. "You can't afford to do that before a race like the Gold Cup," he added.

Omaha, according to some of the Paddock critics, looked lighter than he had looked at Kempton. That may be so, but he is still a most attractive individual. His owner was in America and, in the circumstances, Captain Boyd-Rochford, the trainer, was unable to say what his next race would be. Lord Stanley was equally blank concerning the future of Quashed, although he did not deny the story that Lady Barbara Smith, from whom Quashed is leased, would like her to be trained for some future Grand National.

## WINS RACE. ON HONEYMOON

### T. T. RIDER GRAZES WALL, DASHES TO VICTORY

Victor last month in one of the most thrilling Lightweight Tourist Trophy races the Isle of Man has seen, was A. T. Foster, a 24-year-old motor agent who is honeymooning in the Island.

He covered the 264 miles in 3 hrs. 33 mins. 22 secs., making a new record of 74.28 miles an hour, on a 246 c.c. New Imperial.

Second was H. G. Tyrell Smith (249 c.c. Excelsior) whose time was 3 hrs. 38 mins. 34 secs.

Third was A. Geiss (248 c.c. D.K.W.), time 3 hrs. 38 mins. 37 secs. The cracking pace was too much for most of the riders.

Eighteen gave up. Thirteen finished the course. Foster had to battle against Stanley Woods, the Irish ace, holder of the Lightweight and Senior trophies. Woods, leading the powerful team of German D.K.W. machines, put up a tremendous fight in defence of his trophy.

Smashing his own record for the 37 1/2 miles lap on the second circuit with a speed of 76.20 m.p.h., he gained a comfortable lead.

A halt caused by plug trouble set him back into second place, but he was ahead again on the fourth circuit. Foster responded, and went ahead on the sixth lap.

Both forced themselves and their machines to the utmost on the final circuit. Foster had a nasty moment when he grazed a wall at Ballacrine corner, but tore on unperturbed. Woods again met trouble and limped home over the greater part of the last lap.

The last man G. S. Lewther, was flung off when his machine seized up on the Governor's Bridge hairpin bend and hit a tree.

Dazed, Lewther pushed his machine the last mile to qualify for a second-class award. He collapsed when he crossed the line.

## FOR BOWLS TITLES

### SIX MATCHES YESTERDAY

Yesterday's results in the Colony lawn bowls singles championships were practically all as expected. H. A. Alves, bowling with good judgment and precision, won comfortably, while A. Hyde Lay was never extended. J. Shepherd had a nice win against W. K. Way, this being the one match which it was thought might have resulted differently, while A. E. Coates won without being unduly extended.

S. Bright and J. E. Henson and R. Duncan and S. Randle reached the semi-final of the open pairs championship, the first named figuring in a thrilling encounter with J. S. Landolt and D. Runjahn.

Bright and Henson obtained the decision by a single point, the scores being level on the last but one head, after which they laid the shot to win the match.

M. A. Souza and W. V. Field offered less resistance to Duncan and Randle, losing by 25 shots to 16. Souza and Field started promisingly and won the first half dozen heads. But Duncan and Randle came along with a four on one head and, after securing the lead, did not relinquish it again.

Results in brief were:

**OPEN SINGLES**  
H. A. Alves beat G. N. Mitchell 21-9  
A. Hyde Lay beat H. F. Rozario 21-9  
J. Shepherd beat W. K. Way 21-13  
A. E. Coates beat P. E. Knight 21-14

**OPEN PAIRS**  
(Quarter-Finals)  
R. Duncan and J. S. Randle beat M. A. R. Souza and W. V. Field 21-16  
S. Bright and J. E. Henson beat J. S. Landolt and D. Runjahn 22-21

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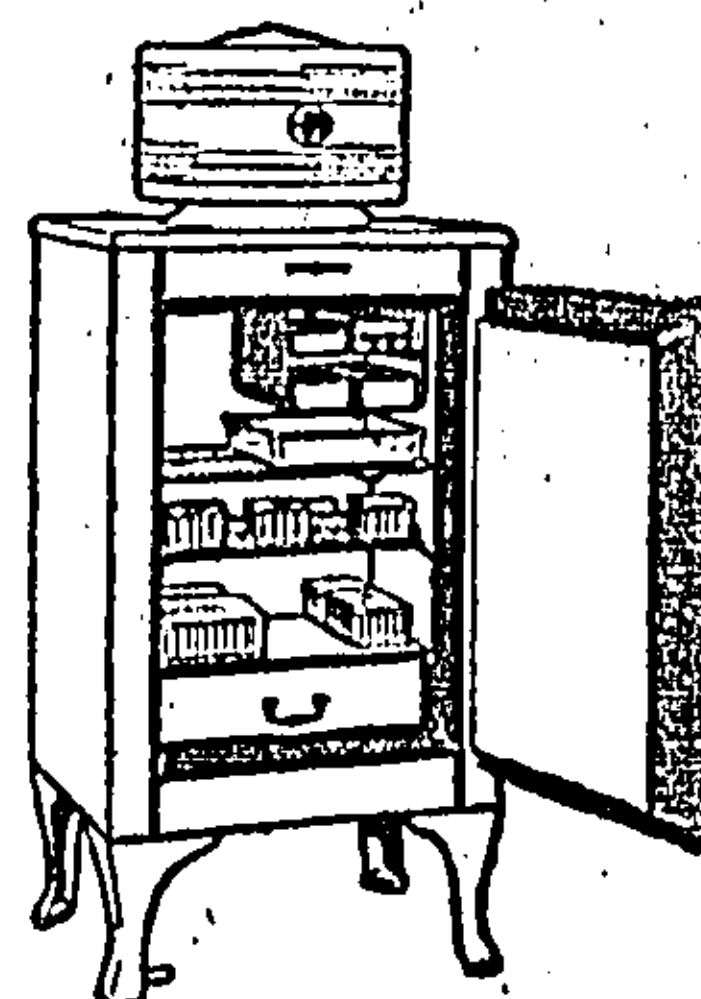
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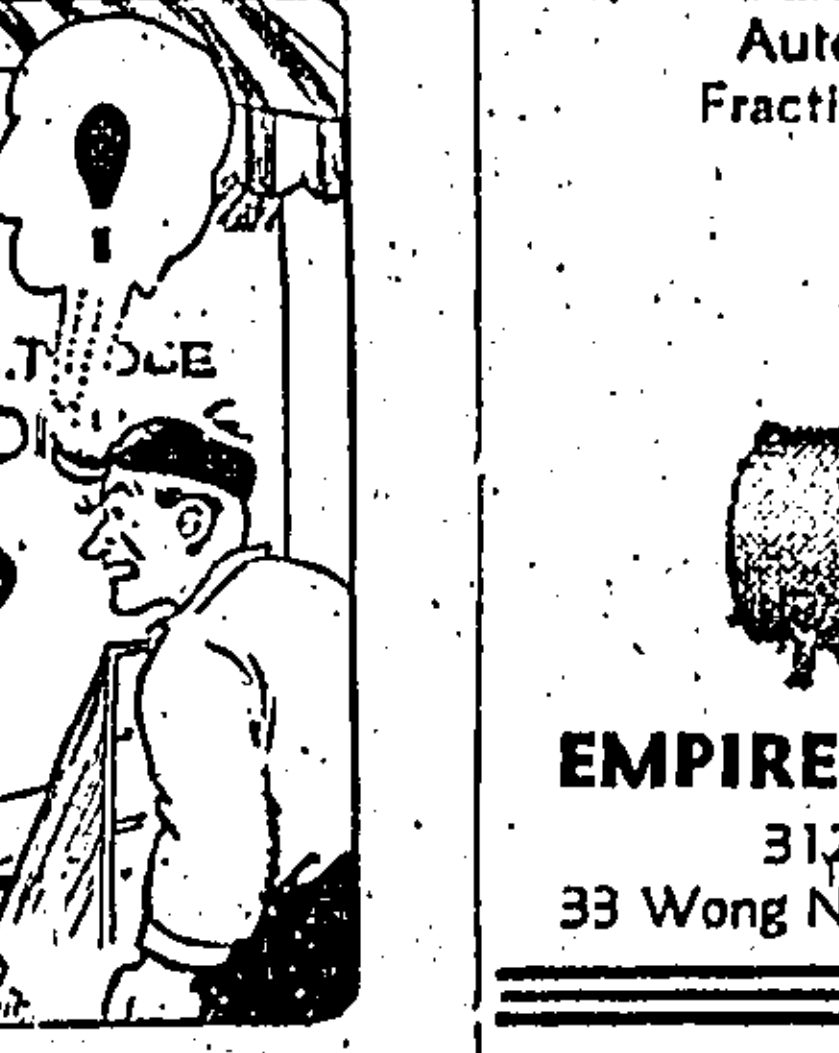
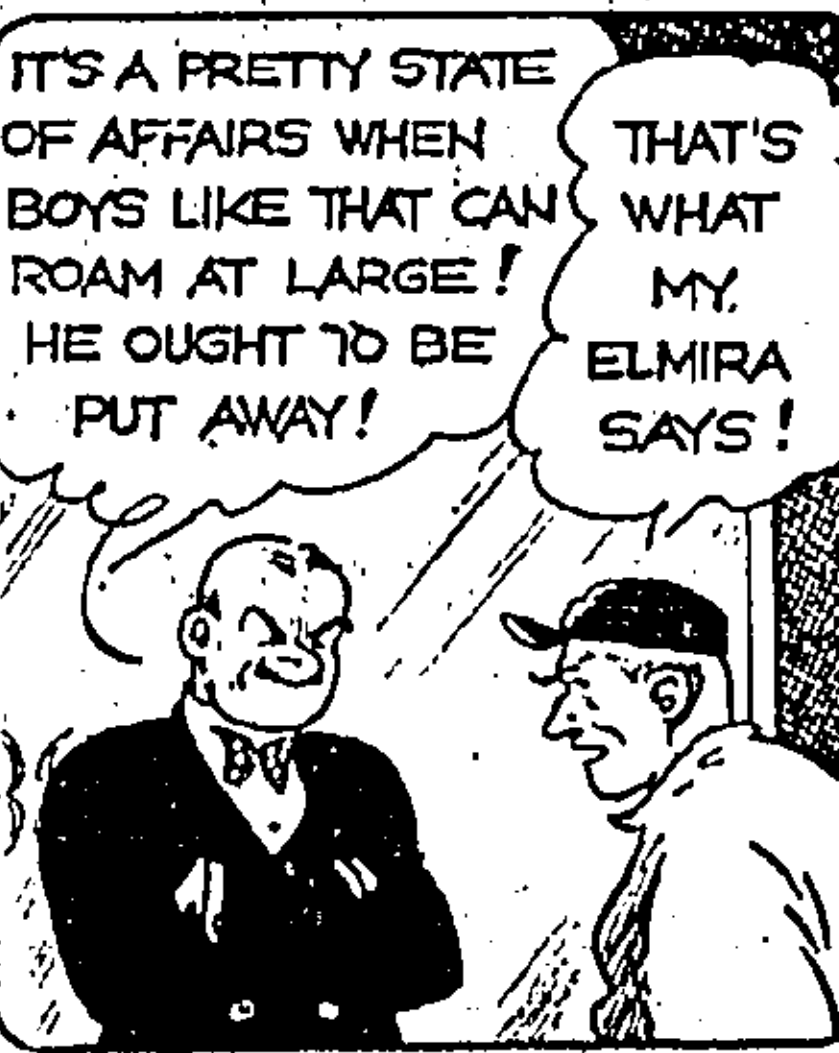
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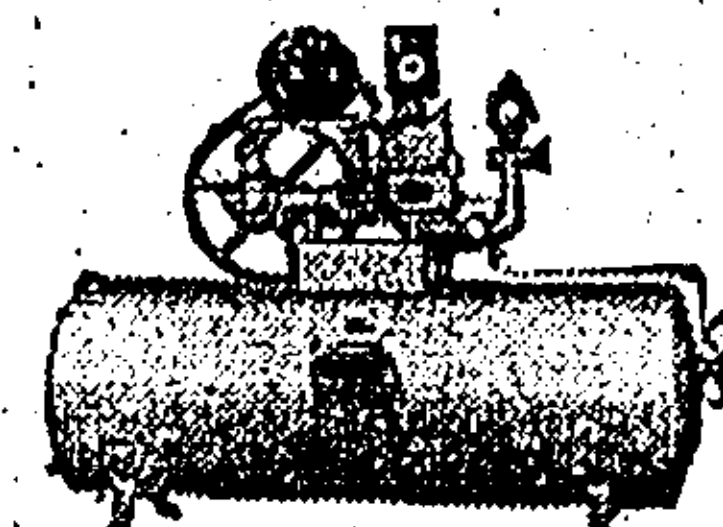
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"His 'getting' is followed by 'taking'."

IN a group of boys the trained observer can quickly detect the potential delinquent. If all teachers were trained to recognise and deal with such boys there would be an enormous reduction in juvenile crime.

There is nothing mysterious in the factors which go to make up such a boy. No child is fore-doomed from birth to criminality.

Naturally, heredity and a bad home are influential factors, but children use and often triumph over such handicaps and become successful citizens. Others are not fortunate enough unless helped.

A characteristic which all potential delinquents have in common is a lack of social interest. By this I mean inability to co-operate with others to contribute something to life. The development of social interest is absolutely essential if a human being is to be healthy and happy.

PAMPERING, on the one hand; neglect on the other, are able to inhibit in a child the development of this all-important social interest.

I do not mean you to infer from this that every pampered or neglected child is a potential delinquent. Such a child has a worse start, but may become not delinquent, but sometimes neurotic.

Both delinquents and neurotics are characterised by an inability to co-operate in life. They do not understand the principles of give-and-take on which all human relationships are based.

They expect life to do everything for them. They do not wish—or feel unable—to make a contribution in return.

In the neglected child this atti-

tude is caused by a fear of life, which he feels to be hostile. In the pampered child it is caused by an expectation that everything should be brought to his feet.

In either case, they become "getters" rather than "givers." In the neurotic this taking attitude is more passive. He waits for what he wants. He is afraid to stand alone. He clings. As he grows older he knows that there is something wrong and feels unhappy.

He does not deny the necessity for social interest, but he always feels there is an insurmountable difficulty. If one difficulty is removed he discovers another. His answer to the demands of life is invariably: "Yes... but..."

The potential delinquent, however, refuses to recognise social interest. His answer to the social demands of life is not "Yes... but..." but "No."

His "getting" is followed by "taking." He is distinguished from the potential neurotic by his higher activity. While the neurotic waits for life to bring him things, the delinquent completely disregards the rights of others and sets out to help himself.

It is easy to detect the type with this tendency in any group of boys, and one can safely prophesy that sooner or later, when the pressure becomes strong enough, or opportunity sufficiently tempting, such a one will become delinquent.

ANY group of juvenile criminals contains neglected or pampered children with a high measure of activity. It has often been remarked that such groups contain a high proportion of particularly unpleasant-looking boys; also of ones physically malformed. This has been taken as an indi-

# CRIME can be Stopped in the Schoolroom

by Dr. Alfred Adler

THE FAMOUS PSYCHOLOGIST

ention of an hereditary criminal type. It means nothing of the kind. It is simply that such boys tend to be neglected and thus do not easily develop a normal amount of social interest.

An observer will also notice amongst a group of young criminals some boys who are exceptionally handsome. These are probably those who have been pampered.

A handsome face can be a boy's ruin. It leads his relatives and friends to make such a fuss of him that he comes to think he has a sort of pre-ordained right to the best of everything. Such a boy (or girl) when finding that the big world does not conform to the pattern he has been used to, is inclined to think himself entitled to go out and take what he fancies.

VANITY is another characteristic. The true delinquent almost always considers himself too clever to be caught.

It is quite the exception for a law-breaker to be caught with his first offence.

This naturally strengthens his faith in himself.

Your typical delinquent is never on the wrong track—it is simply that for once he has made a little mistake. Even with repeated failures he will not admit that his foundations are wrong. He continues looking for his "little mistake." It is probable that the last thought of a man, going to be hanged is not "If only I had not attempted this," but "If I had just done so-and-so instead of such-and-such everything would have been all right."

Persons who visited Napoleon when he was in exile reported that his constant remark was, "If I had just gone into Spain instead of first going into Russia, everything would have been all right."

When you understand the mind of the delinquent you realise how

work is rather like that of the sporting champion to his game. It is a commonplace that many athletes retire when they begin to feel the waning of their power.

In the same way burglars frequently retire after thirty. The burglar's vanity will not permit him to continue when he is getting too heavy and stiff to hold his own at the head of his profession.

So he pulls out and takes up some trade where his quick fingers and technical skill carry him rapidly to the top.

The fact that retired criminals often make top-notch craftsmen shows what society is losing through so much of its human material operating during its prime as an enemy rather than as a friend. The loss is the worse in that it is unnecessary.

There is no reason why, now that we understand it, potential delinquency should not be cured in youth.

The remedy is to develop social interest by providing creative instead of destructive activity.

In the United States eighteen billion dollars a year are spent on dealing with crime. Imagine into how many useful channels this money could be directed if the criminal element were removed from the community!

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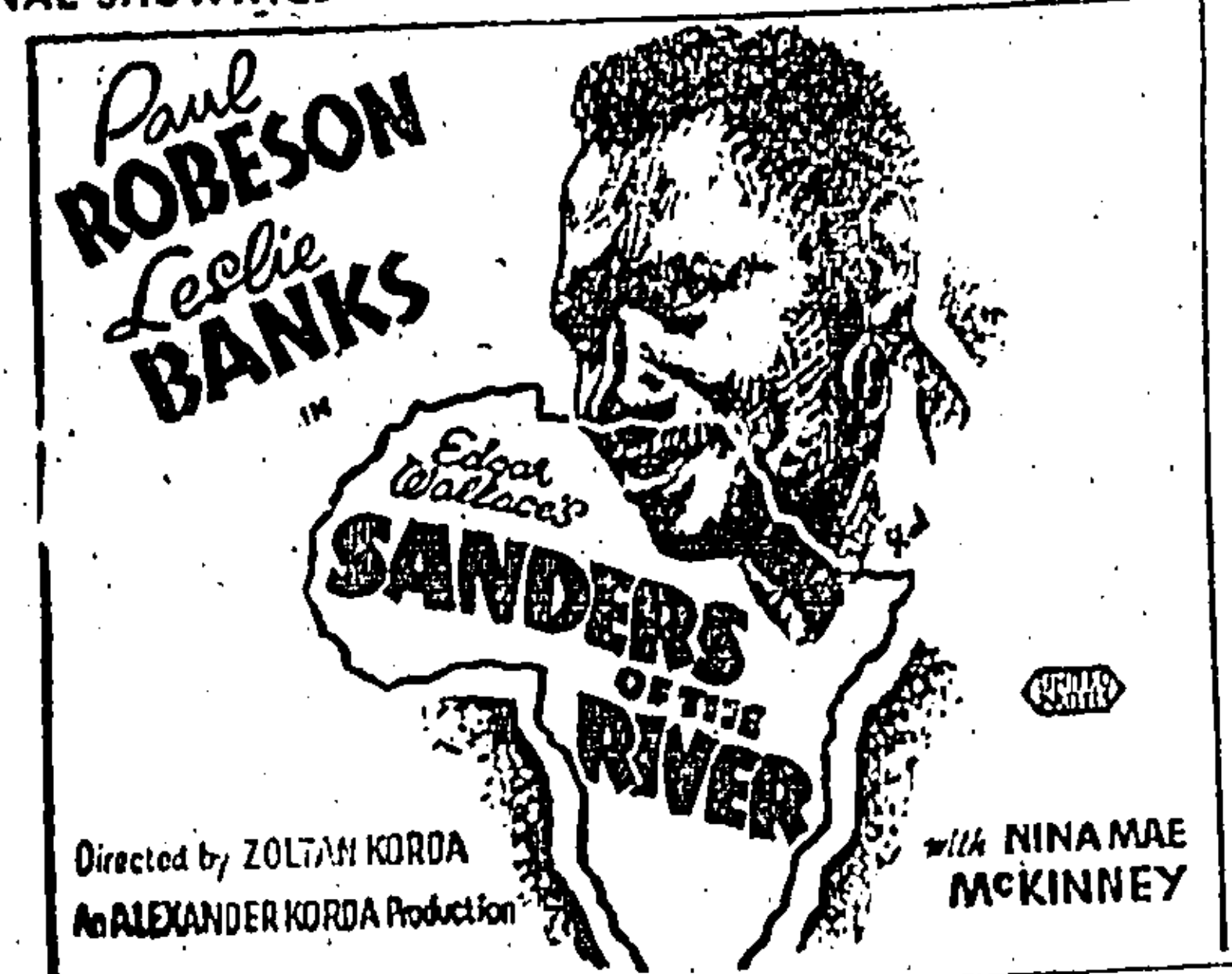




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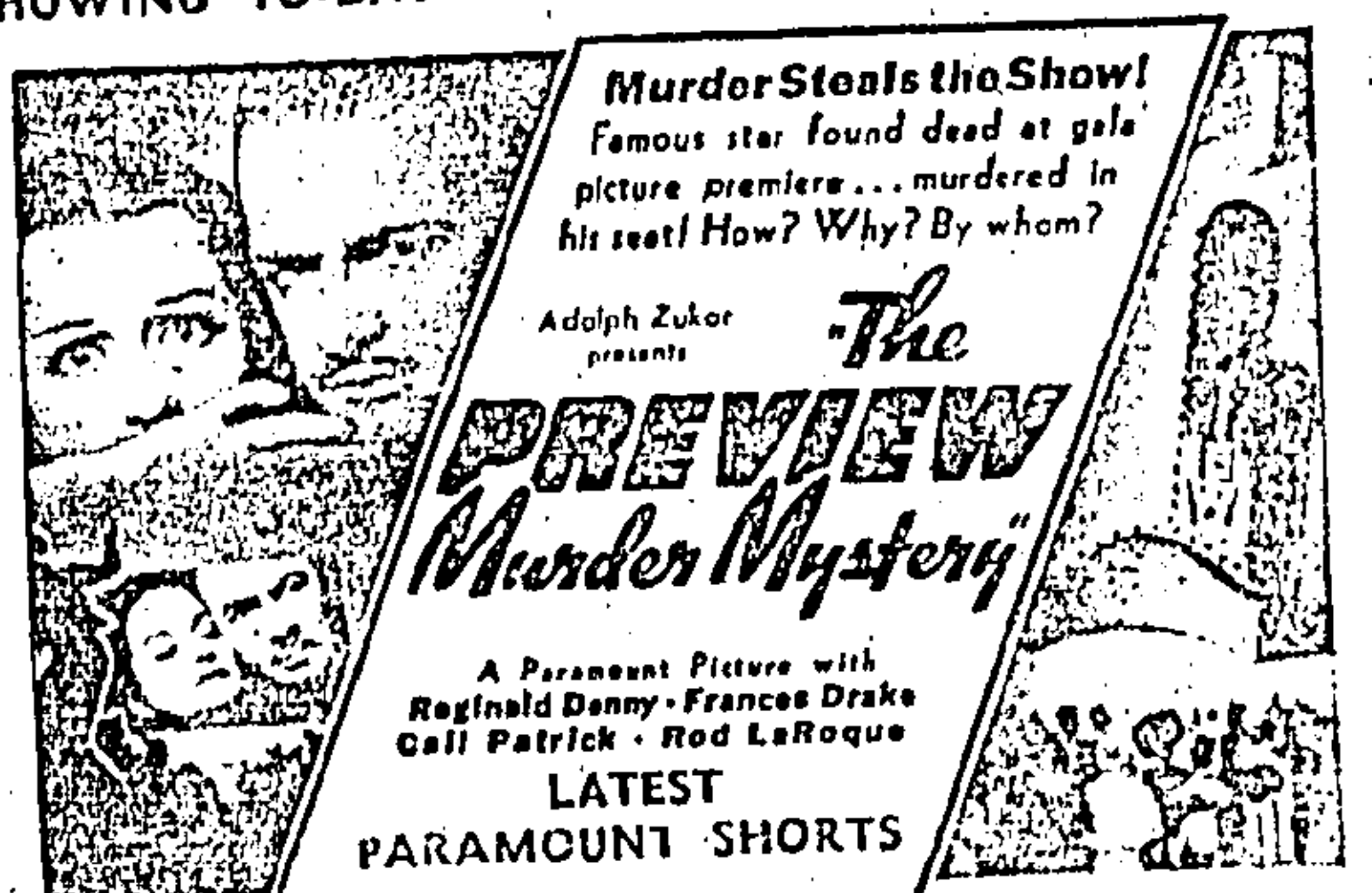


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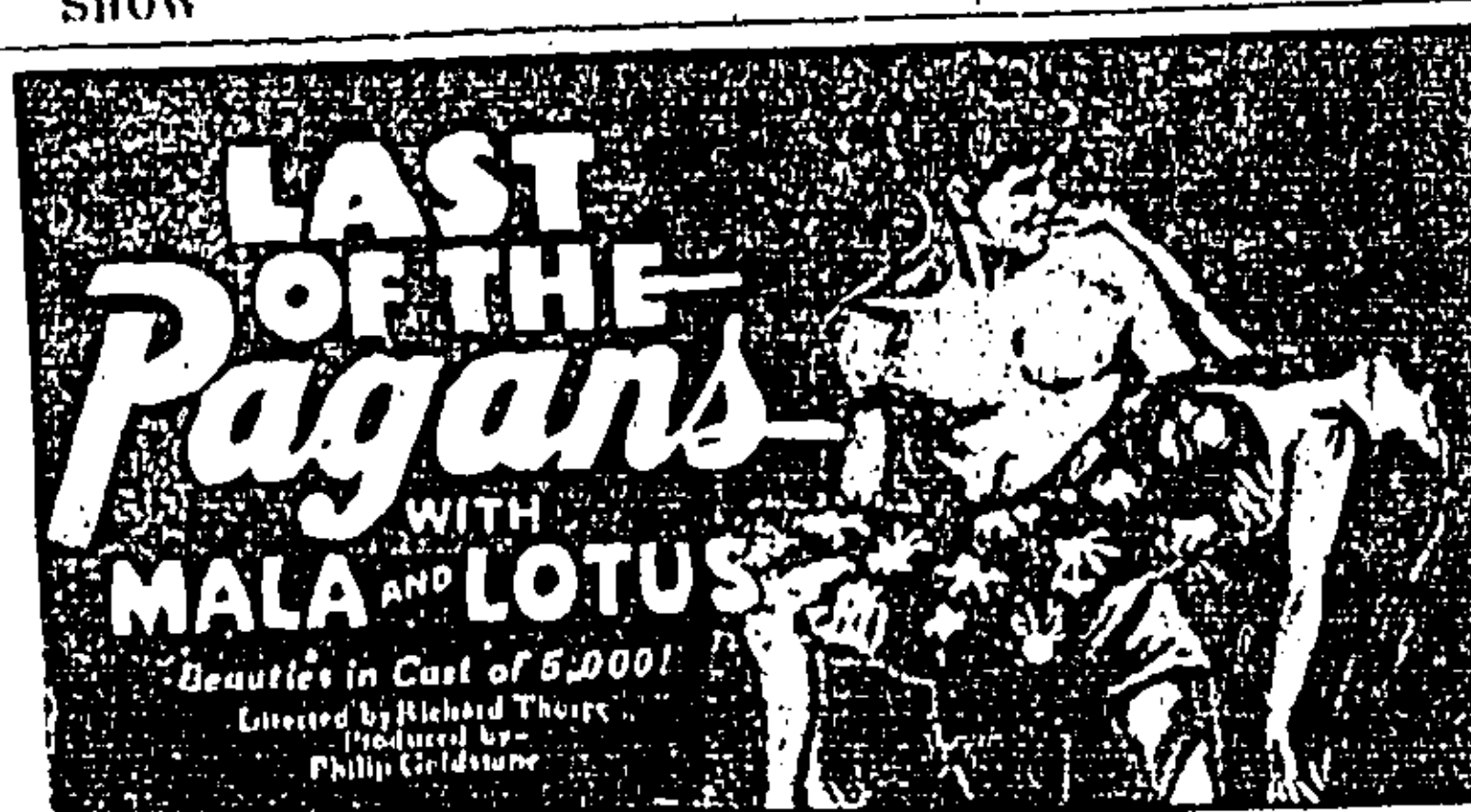
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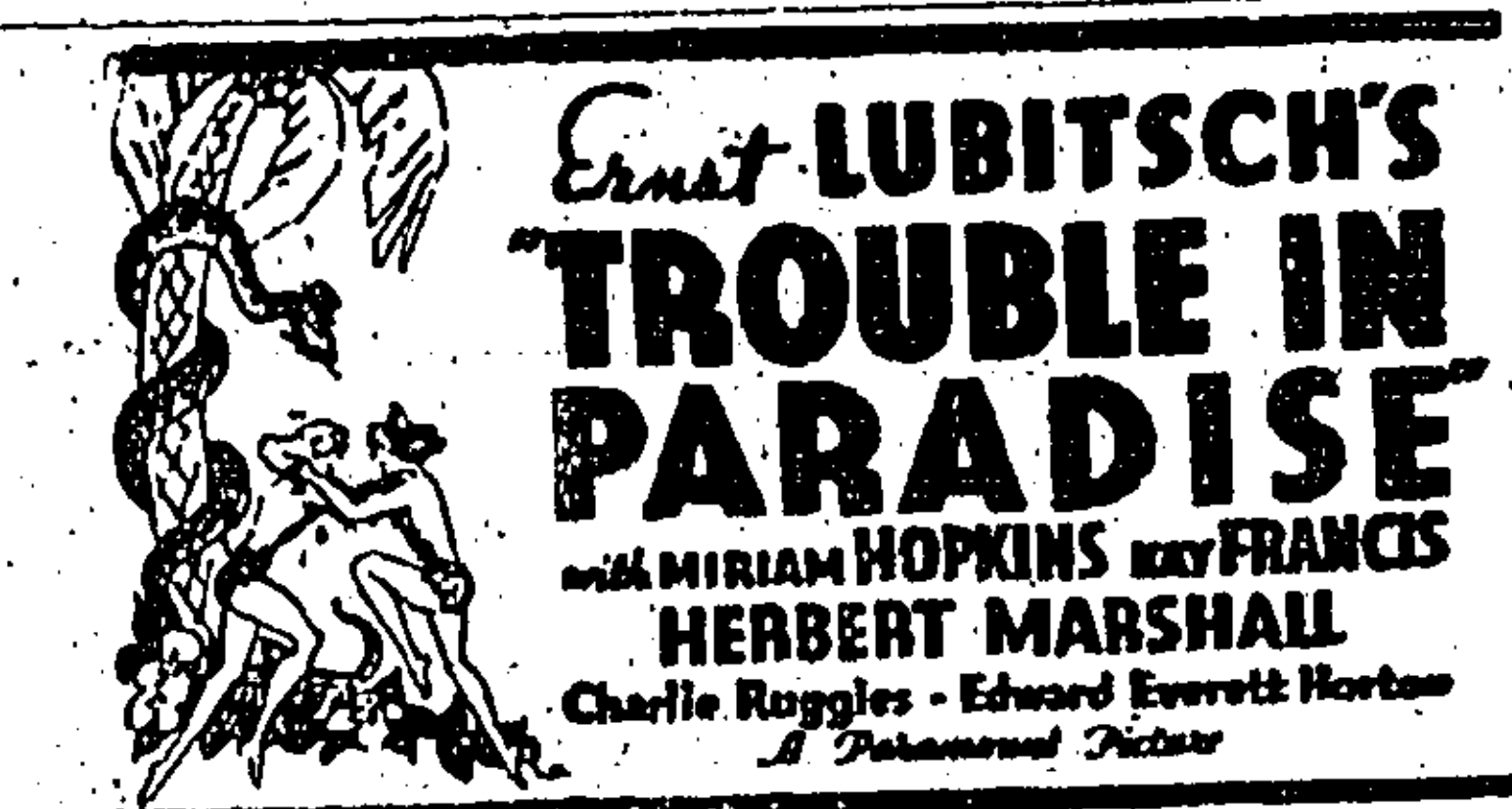


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## CHICAGO CLIMBS HIGHER

PIRATES' HOPES SHAKEN  
YANKS LOSE TO CHICAGO

New York, July 13. Chicago won again to-day, blanketing the New York Giants, thus going to within a step of the top of the League, which position St. Louis still occupies. The Cardinals were not in action to-day.  
Chicago's win was a fluke. The Cubs scored their one run on only two hits, while the Giants hit four but could not make them count. Giants had one error.  
Boston won the only other National League game, against Pittsburgh, shaking the hopes of the Pirates who had been steadily climbing after the leaders.  
In the American League, Chicago whipped the leading New York Yankees, six to three. Dukes hit a homer, one of the thirteen blows struck by his club, and New York was lucky to get three out of five hits. Gehrig's home run pushing up the score.  
Detroit beat Philadelphia, five to two, hitting ten times to nine, and Cleveland scored an eleven to three victory over Boston, on seventeen hits to eight. Boston had three errors.  
Washington beat St. Louis nine to three. —*Reuter.*

## MUST PAY SUICIDE'S INSURANCE

BRITISH COMPANY LOSES £42,000

London, July 13. The plea that it was not liable to pay insurance policies since the policy-holder, Major Rowlandson, had committed suicide, was unsuccessful in the High Court to-day by the Royal Insurance Company, which was ordered to pay £42,000, with interest.  
The plaintiff in the action was Mrs. De la Perre Rowlandson, who sued the administrative trustees of the balance payable on policies issued in 1925, the premium payable in July annually.  
In 1934 Major Rowlandson obtained a special final extension until 3 p.m. on August 3, and a few minutes before that hour he took his own life in a taxi cab, after impressing the time on the chauffeur.  
The action was brought on behalf of Major Rowlandson's creditors, to whom he owed £68,000. —*Reuter Special.*

## Italy Still Dictates CONDITIONS FOR LOCARNO TALKS

Rome, July 13. It is stated in official quarters that Italy is prepared to attend the forthcoming conference of the Locarno Powers at Brussels provided only that her two conditions are accepted.  
The two conditions are: Withdrawal of the Mediterranean guarantees of mutual assistance against her, and the acceptance by Germany of an invitation to the parity. —*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

### WONT DROP FACTS

London, July 13. Mr. Stanley Baldwin, speaking in the House of Commons to-night, intimated that Great Britain would at present refuse to annul her Mediterranean assistance pacts with Turkey, Greece and Yugoslavia, despite Signor Benito Mussolini's insistence. —*United Press.*

### PLANS UPSET

London, July 13. The Austro-German agreement has unsettled the arrangements for the conference of the Locarno Powers, which may be postponed from the original date, July 22.

With regard to the question of inviting Germany to participate in the conference, it is learned that Britain holds that the conference concerns the Locarno Powers, of which Germany ceased to be one when she disavowed the Treaty by occupation of the Rhineland.

Whether this standpoint prevails will depend on diplomatic exchanges proceeding among Britain, France and Belgium on the future of the conference generally. —*Reuter.*

## NAZI PRISONERS BEING SORTED

AUSTRIAN AMNESTY NOT YET POSSIBLE

Vienna, July 13. The release of Austrian Nazi prisoners, under the Austro-German agreement, has not yet been begun. It is officially stated that several weeks will be needed to sort out the political from the criminal Nazi offenders before the promised amnesty for the former can be carried into effect. —*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

## EYSTON CRACKING ALL RECORDS

ON FORTY-EIGHT HOUR RACE TRACK GRIND

Bonneville, July 13. In terrific heat and on a wearing track, the daring Capt. George Eyston and his co-driver, Albert Denly, are racing around the salt flats here in quest of records for all distances and times in 48 hours of steady driving. It is a gruelling test of endurance and skill and of the machine the men drive.

When the time-keeper flagged the racing machine at the end of the first twenty-four hours it was known that Capt. Eyston and Denly had easily shattered average speed record of 140.522 miles per hour formerly set by Capt. Eyston, for to-day's speed was unofficially 149.08 miles per hour.

The drivers did not stop. They tore on for a forty-eight hour and other records. Already they have smashed all records from the 500 kilometres and 2,000 kilometres. This latter record has now been confirmed at 149.27 miles per hour. In addition they have set new speed for 3,000 kilometres distance, 148.810 miles per hour.

For the 3,000 miles distance, they set a pace of 149.242 miles per hour, improving on Capt. Eyston's own former record of 147.75 miles per hour. Over the 5,000 kilometres distance they travelled at a speed of 149.242 k.p.h., breaking another record formerly held by Capt. Eyston, 140.42.

The record for three hours driving, held by the racing driver, Cobb, who set a mark of 147.62 miles per hour, was flattened with a speed of 152.171. The six hours' drive was made at an average speed of 151.72 miles per hour, a considerable improvement on Cobb's previous record of 144.54 miles per hour.  
Capt. Eyston's own twelve hour record, 143.98 miles per hour, was eclipsed with a speed of 149.02, so that in all the pair have set thirteen new marks for speed drivers to beat.  
Capt. Eyston has now broken the record for 3,000 miles, with an average speed of 144.81 miles per hour, as against the previous record of 110.4 miles per hour, held by the Frenchmen, Perrot, and Ghio.  
In twenty-four hours, the British drivers have travelled 3,578.3 miles. —*Reuter.*

## FRESH SPANISH CRISIS

ROYALIST CHIEF MURDERED  
REPRISALS EXPECTED

Madrid, July 13. Senor Calvo Sotelo, leading Conservative politician and possible dictator in the event of the Rightists returning to power, was found murdered in a cemetery here to-night.

Whether he was killed after his arrest in the morning, or at the hands of his political adversaries who tricked him into leaving his house, is not known.

A body of men, described as consisting of a lieutenant of Shock Police and several other policemen, and two Civil Guards, presented themselves at his residence and arrested Senor Sotelo, but the chiefs of the police and Civil Guard, profess ignorance in the matter.

Meanwhile the political situation is critical. The Cabinet is holding protracted meetings. No strikers are returning to work despite the Government's order.

### REPRISALS FEARED

Madrid, July 13. The murder of Senor Sotelo is likely to evoke extensive Fascist and Monarchist reprisals on account of the new facts discovered relating to the crime.

The body was found in a river, not a cemetery, covered with knife and hatchet wounds.  
The assassins are said to have been radical hoodlums, disguised as police. —*Reuter.*

### ARRESTS MADE

Madrid, July 13. A Captain, four lieutenants and five men of the Shock Police have been arrested on suspicion of murdering Senor Sotelo. —*Reuter.*

### FASCISTS ARRESTED

Madrid, July 14. Following the murder of Senor Sotelo, 135 Fascists have been arrested in Madrid and others have been arrested in the provinces. —*Reuter.*

## FASCISTS SEIZE RADIO STATION

BUT DEPART AFTER EMPTY THREAT

Madrid, July 13. A body of Fascists invaded the broadcasting station in Valencia last night and after overpowering the announcer, announced over the microphone that by next morning the wireless and other communications would be in the hands of the Fascists.  
They then hurriedly departed before the police arrived. —*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

## TREATY BLESSED BY ROME

MUSSOLINI BEHIND NEW ENTENTE  
BERLIN AWARE OF SUPPORT

Rome, July 13. High official sources state to-day that Signor Benito Mussolini, the Italian Dictator, actively sponsored the new Austro-German Treaty, the inception of which is to be the conference between Signor Mussolini and Dr. Kurt Schuschnigg on June 6.  
It is said that Signor Mussolini not only approved the treaty, but made important suggestions to Dr. Schuschnigg, the Austrian Chancellor, regarding the terms.  
Although there is no direct Italian-German treaty or agreement, it is added, Germany is fully aware of Signor Mussolini's strong support. —*United Press.*

## REDUCED CRASH DAMAGES

IMPERIAL AIRWAYS RESPONSIBILITY

London, July 13. The Court of Appeal has allowed, by a majority, the High Court's appeal by Imperial Airways, Ltd., against an award of £1,000, damages to the wife of Mr. Louis Grein, who was killed in December, 1933, when an air liner crashed into a radio mast in Belgium, killing ten passengers.

Mr. Justice Greer said the majority of the Court decided it was a case of "international carriage." Therefore, judgment would be reduced to the equivalent of 125,000 francs, as Imperial Airways contended should be the case.  
Leave was given to appeal to the House of Lords, however. —*Reuter Special.*

## SPEEDING OCEAN MAIL

QUEEN MARY LINKS WITH AIRWAYS

Budapest, July 13. The efficacy of aerial maritime co-operation was demonstrated in connection with the entry of the Cunard White Star liner, Queen Mary, at Cherbourg from New York, at 10.25 a.m.

Mail carried by the giant liner was despatched by fast Imperial Airways plane calling at Paris, Zurich, Munich, Vienna and Budapest, where they arrived at 7.30 p.m., within five days of their despatch from New York. —*Reuter.*

London, July 13. When the Cunard-White Star liner, Queen Mary, docked at Cherbourg this morning a new boat plane service for travellers to Central Europe was inaugurated, several passengers leaving at once in an air liner, with Budapest as its final destination. The Queen Mary's time from New York was 4 days, 14 hours, 16 minutes.  
When the Queen Mary reached Southampton this afternoon it was stated that she would enter King George V Graving Dock on Wednesday. Her engines are to be tuned up and she will not sail again until July 22. —*British Wireless.*

### DARDANELLES QUESTION

London, July 13. In a Parliamentary answer regarding the Conference at Montreux on the Straits regime, the Prime Minister said in the opinion of His Majesty's Government there was no reason why a speedy conclusion of the new Straits Convention need be prejudiced in any way by unilateral and provisional assurances recently given by Britain to certain Mediterranean powers. —*British Wireless.*

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## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

"OUR KNOWLEDGE COMES PARTER AS THE DEMAND FOR IT INCREASES" — David Sarnoff.

Among the passengers by the A. & O. liner Taitung this morning were Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Williamson, who are proceeding to New Zealand for a vacation.

Probate has been granted by the Supreme Court of the will of the late Mr. Allan Scouller Malcolm, formerly of 41, Hillview Terrace, Morpeth, Edinburgh, Scotland, and the Shanghai Licensed Pilot Association. Mr. Malcolm died in Scotland on November 20, last year. The value of the estate is sworn not to exceed \$14,500.

The three privates of the Royal Ulster Rifles who are charged with assaulting and robbing a taxi-driver, Leung Yau at Castle Peak Road on July 6, were again remanded for one week by Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. They are Thomas Todd, Sydney Brown and Thomas Harker. Det. Sgt. C. Goodwin made the application.

Chief Revenue Officer A. W. Grimmett requested an order from Mr. Burgess, at the Central Magistracy this morning, for the confiscation of 88 tins of raw opium, and ten tins of prepared opium, which he disposes of for the sale of opium. On removing the tins he found the opium underneath. There were no claimants. The order was granted.

Pat Yau, 40, a dockyard coolie, was brought before Mr. E. Himmsworth at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on a charge of having stolen a quantity of scrap iron from the Green Island Cement Company's Hok-ung Works in Kowloon. Mr. F. J. Neill, engineer in the Hok-ung Works, appeared as the complainant, and it was stated that defendant had quite a record for criminal offences. His Worship sentenced the defendant to one month in gaol.

Sentence of six months' hard labour and two years' police supervision was passed by Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on Leung Shing, 27, unemployed, who admitted a charge of attempted larceny from Wong Shiu, at Hill Road. Detective-Sergeant Riddell prosecuted and defendant admitted three previous convictions for larceny from the person and also a previous conviction for larceny.